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## RIOTS OCCUR IN CAR STRIKE AT HALIFAX

Battle Between Strikers and  
Strike-Breakers Results  
In Damage

## REVOLVERS FIRED DURING CLASHES

Tracks Blocked With Heavy  
Stones; Several Persons  
Are Severely Injured

## RELIEF WERE BEATEN MAYOR MAKES APPEAL

Halifax, May 17.—Never before have such scenes been witnessed in Halifax as those in connection with the street car strike to-day. Cars were obstructed and stoned and glass smashed, barns damaged and strike-breakers and others assaulted. Some even raced after the cars, pelting the men with potatoes, sticks, etc.

The men who are on strike did not take part in the incident, but the sympathizers, mainly young men and boys, were much in evidence. That there was trouble brewing was apparent with the constant growing comment from many people on the appearance of the strike-breakers.

In the afternoon large stones from an old foundation and barrels were placed on the track of the north and main line. The strike-breakers removed them, but the cars had hardly started again when they were obstructed with more debris.

During the day some drivers of heavy teams were apparently getting in front of the cars driven by the strike-breakers, and about 5 o'clock one motor man started his car and the team in front moved out, but the car struck a military car ahead of which were two soldiers, throwing them out. A crowd quickly gathered, and amidst cries of "take him off," there was a rush for the motor man.

This was the start of the trouble, and a great crowd gathered. Some began to throw stones. Another car arrived with a number of strike-breakers with the result that there was almost a riot. John Mason, a detective, drew a revolver and was arrested for carrying firearms. Later on an attempt was made to take a car to the barn with a strike-breaker on top holding the trolley pole, but the crowd followed pelting him with missiles. Windows were smashed at the car barn where a child was struck and had to be taken to a hospital. The police were powerless.

Five were arrested, three being strike-breakers and two citizens. Big crowds were on the streets through the night, standing about the stalled cars. Another batch of strike-breakers arrived last night.

No move has yet been made for a settlement.

Two strike breakers were injured severely and had to be taken to a hospital. Charles Harrop was struck by a bullet while watching the fight, and may lose the sight of an eye. Over a score of other employees were badly cut and bruised. When the motor-man on the car which struck the soldiers wagon was assaulted he dashed into the Merchants' bank for safety with the leaders of the mob at his back. The conductor who fled with his motor-man turned at the door and drew a revolver. A mob of four thousand congregated, and a strike-breaker named George Hart climbed to the top of one stalled car and got the trolley pole in position, when a pick-handle took him full in the chest. He dropped to the street and lay there while men kicked him several times.

The relief crew of the Granville street barn retreated, and the men hung on to the trolley and kept it going amid a shower of stones, eggs and missiles. Opposite the Halifax hotel a half brick struck one man on the back of the head nearly severing his ear. When the mob found the car at the barn they commenced to throw stones. Within five minutes not a window in the offices was intact. In an attempt to stop the stone throwing the strike-breakers in the building played a hose or the mob collected in the street in front, but this had little effect.

The mayor has issued an appeal to the people to preserve order.

Claims to have now found leprosy cure

Geneva, Switzerland, May 17.—Assertions of Professor Raoul Pictet, of this city, inventor of liquefied air, that he has discovered a "cold cure" for leprosy are attracting attention here. He says that doctors in Hawaii are giving his methods a test and have already found them successful.

Lepers are subjected to local application of liquefied carbon dioxide at a very low temperature, 110 degrees below zero. The intense cold has gradually destroyed the microbes of leprosy and the diseased flesh has regained its original health and color.

## ARIZONA NOW HAS AN ALIEN LAND LAW

Persons of Either Caucasian or  
Mongolian Descent Are Leg-  
islated Against

## FIVE YEARS ALLOWED TO DISPOSE OF TITLE

Not Regarded as Complicating  
Relations With Japan at  
Washington

## MEXICAN GOVERNMENT EXPECTED TO PROTEST

Phoenix, Ariz., May 17.—Governor Hunt has signed Arizona's new alien land bill, which prohibits any alien, whether of Caucasian or Mongolian descent, from owning land in the state if he has not declared his intention of becoming a citizen. This not only bars Asiatics who cannot become citizens, but also a large number of wealthy Mexicans who live on the American side of the line, but who have maintained their allegiance to the government of Mexico.

A vigorous fight was made to have the bill applied only to aliens ineligible to citizenship on behalf of the Mexican holders of property in Arizona, but many Chinese hold title and these, like the non-citizens among the Mexicans, will be required to dispose of the real estate titles they now hold within a period of five years.

The law exempts only mining claims held by aliens or real property necessary to the proper working of mines.

Representative Japanese conferred with the governor in an effort to induce him to veto the bill, but he declined on the ground that such a law was necessary in the interests of the white race. He said it was made to apply to all aliens alike, in deference to the wishes of the national administration.

Washington, D. C., May 17.—Arizona's new land law is not regarded as seriously complicating the negotiations with Japan, because the act does not contain the same direct bar against Japanese as the California act. It is expected, however, that because of its adverse effect upon Mexican landowners in Arizona, a protest will be forthcoming from the Mexican government, even in view of the rather irregular status of the diplomatic relations between America and Mexico.

With both the American and Japanese governments waiting on the final action of Governor Johnson, the possibility of postponing the operation of the proposed California law by involving the referendum, is again being discussed in official circles.

The overwhelming majority for the Webb bill in both branches of the California legislature makes some Californians in Washington doubtful if the necessary twenty thousand signatures for a referendum could be secured.

## WESTERN CANADA ON UNITED STATES' SIDE

London, May 17.—"Should war break out the sympathies of Australia, New Zealand and Western Canada would be violently on the side of the United States," says the Pall Mall Gazette to-day in discussing the California alien land ownership controversy.

The paper considers that it would be a grave mistake to under-estimate the chances of a conflict between the United States and Japan. It says: "The opinion that Japan will never go to war to enforce the treaty rights in California is one of those dangerous generalities which lead nations blindfold to the brink of the pit."

The Pall Mall Gazette expresses the opinion that there are several reasons why Japan may be desirous of forcing the issue at the present moment. The most obvious of these is the pending opening of the Panama Canal, while a more remote one is connected with the condition of her internal politics.

## EQUALITY OF WHITE AND COLORED RACES

Tokio, May 17.—Irresponsible war talk was condemned by most of the speakers at a mass meeting to-day. The speeches made by the majority of the educational representatives in contrast to the other addresses, were sober and conservative.

It was, however, declared that the time had arrived when the Japanese must be given equal treatment with other people and the speakers considered the aggressiveness of the whites in the world against the colored races, the instance being given of the lynching of negroes in the southern States.

Professor Nagai, of Waseda University, in the course of his address, said: "God made the white and colored people equal. Unless we claim equality we shall fail to carry out God's wishes."

This was received with cheering.

## UNION IS AGAINST AMBASSADOR PAGE

Letter on Which London Action  
Was Taken Received From  
New York

## ASKING THAT WIDEST PUBLICITY BE GIVEN

Now Claimed That Printing  
Trades Council Did Not  
Authorize Statement

## PETER J. BRADY WILL WRITE TO PRESIDENT

London, May 17.—The resolution of protest against the nomination of Walter H. Page, as United States ambassador to Great Britain was introduced by W. Coffey, a member of the executive committee of the London trades council on the strength of a letter written on paper, bearing the letterhead of the allied trades council of Greater New York and signed "Charles L. Conway, secretary of the National Brotherhood of Bookbinders."

After describing Mr. Page as a member of the firm of Doubleday, Page & Company, the letter says: "This concern is bitterly opposed to organized labor. The only department that forced recognition from the union standpoint was the bookbinders, but they are now on strike, being forced out, as the policy of the firm is to replace men with boys."

The letter also says that the International Typographical Union, local No. 6, continues the firm on the "unfair" list, and that the men who had been secured to take the strikers' places rebelled, and struck without the aid of any organization.

The letter concludes by asking all the organized labor of the United Kingdom to assist us in giving this matter the widest publicity, and also to file a protest to our government on its selection, and a protest to your own government for its acceptance of this man.

New York, May 17.—The National Brotherhood of Bookbinders is an "outlaw" organization," expelled two years ago from the International Brotherhood of Bookbinders, according to Peter J. Brady, secretary of the Allied Printing Trades Council of Greater New York. It has been repudiated, he said, by the American Federation of Labor.

Mr. Brady announced to-day he proposed to write a letter to President Wilson and Ambassador Page, explaining that Conway's communication was unauthorized either by the printing trades council or by the International Brotherhood of Bookbinders, and that he would so inform the London Trades Council.

"Whatever may be the conditions at the Doubleday-Page plant in regard to union labor," Mr. Brady said, "we have no desire to embarrass the administration by such tactics as those imposed by Conway. If we had any desire to protest against the appointment of Mr. Page, we would have addressed our protest to the president in an official manner."

"The use by Conway of the letterhead of the Allied Printing Trades Council was entirely unauthorized as was his use of the name of the International Typographical Union, Local No. 6, which has no connection with his organization."

"The latter is allied with the American Federation of Labor, and the strike which he refers to was precipitated by Conway's organization. We had no knowledge of it until the men were cut."

## RECOGNITION BY UNITED STATES OF MEXICO SOON

Washington, D. C., May 17.—The unsatisfactory state of relations between the United States and Mexico will probably soon induce the administration to take some definite attitude toward recognition of the Huerta government. The fact that several foreign states already have accorded recognition, including several of the great powers, is said to be having an influence on the United States. It is expected that very soon a new ambassador will be appointed to succeed Henry Lane Wilson and that his credentials will be directed to Provisional President Huerta.

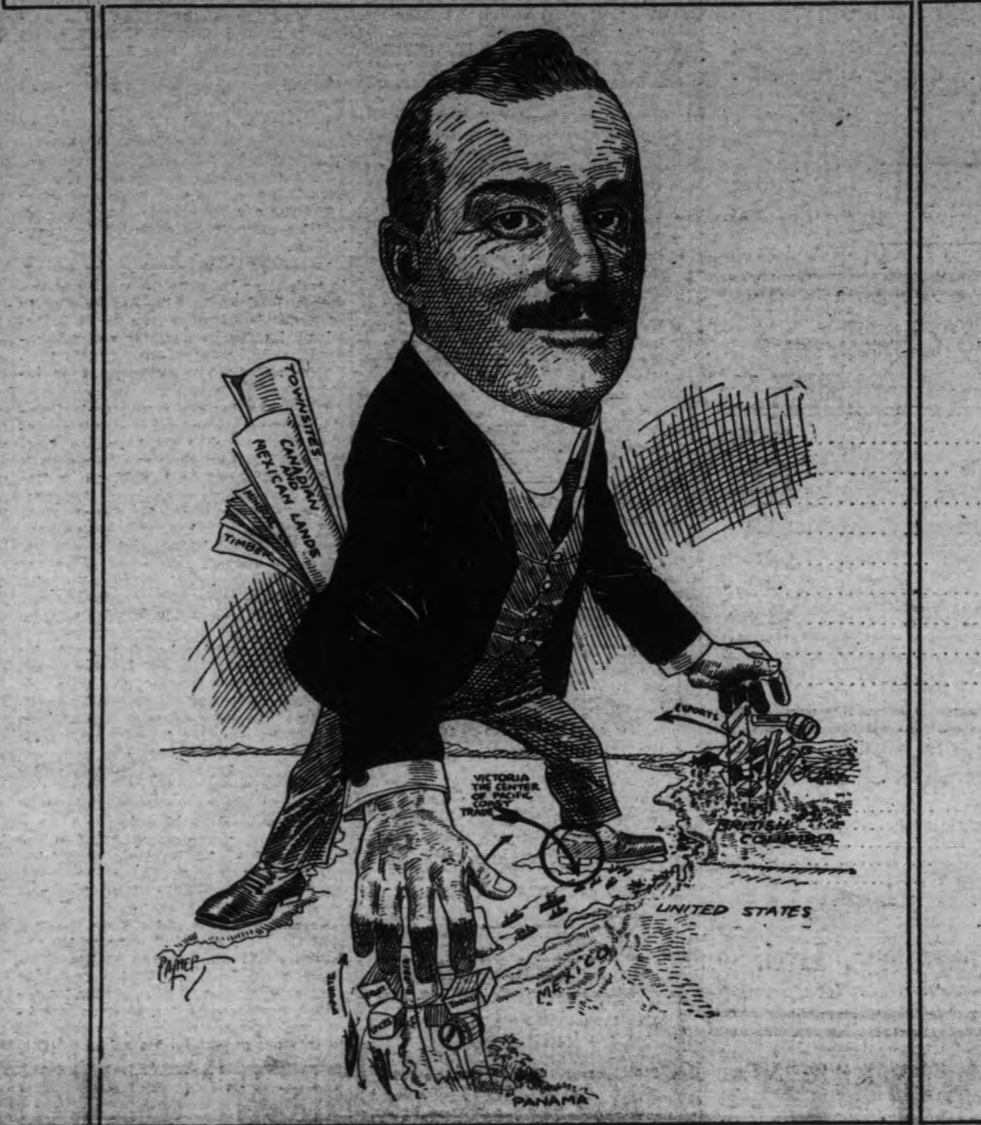
## NICARAGUAN CANAL

San Salvador, Republic of Salvador, May 17.—Public sentiment here is considerably aroused by dispatches regarding the negotiations between Nicaragua and the United States for the sale by Nicaragua of the right of construction of an inter-oceanic canal and of a United States naval station in the Gulf of Fonseca.

## MONTREAL LOAN

London, May 17.—A city of Montreal loan advertised to-day comprises \$1,400,000 registered stock 4 1/2 per cent. at par. The Bank of Montreal is the issuing house. The Morning Post remarks that Montreal made an issue of similar stock in March and says investors would no doubt be glad to know if the present is to be the last of Montreal's financial operations for the present.

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## STRIKING EXCEPTION IN PUBLIC COMMENT

Birmingham Post, Pall Mall  
Gazette and Spectator Re-  
fer to Naval Bill

## BORDEN NOT WHOLLY SORRY FOR ELECTION

London, May 17.—English papers apparently have about exhausted their views on the Canadian naval bill, as very few of them comment on the passing of the bill through the Lower House, although cables describing the process have been fairly lengthy. There is a striking exception, however, in today's Birmingham Post, a paper generally regarded to be much under the Chamberlain family influence. The Post thinks the bill will enter the senate with fair prospects and proceeds as follows:

"It is peculiarly unfortunate that it should be an extremely important scheme of practical imperialism which has aroused such unprecedented hostility in the legislature. We may perhaps venture a conjecture that if the bill were defeated in the senate, and a fresh appeal to the electors become necessary, the prime minister would not be wholly sorry if the chance should be given him to appeal for a special direct mandate upon his naval scheme."

The Pall Mall Gazette says: "Rejection of the bill would raise a constitutional question of the first importance. The second chamber's position is as much an anachronism in Canada as here."

## REMOVE WAR CAUSE BEFORE DISARMING

Sir Arthur Lawley Heard at  
Peace Delegates' Banquet  
Last Night

Chicago, May 17.—Immediate disarmament is not the plan of Sir Arthur Lawley, former governor of Madras and British delegate here in the interests of the celebration of the hundredth anniversary of peace among English-speaking peoples. He spoke at a banquet to the peace delegates last night. "General disarmament must be preceded by the elimination from the world's system of all causes for war," he said.

"The political situation in Europe is such to-day that we in Great Britain, whose environment is far different from yours, may do more to preserve the peace of the world by strengthening our force than by any other means, so that England may be so strong in the councils of nations that her mandate for peace shall not be disregarded."

## PRINCESS MARRIES PRINCE AT POTSDAM

Henry Thirty-Third of Reuss  
and Victoria Margarete of  
Prussia United

## UNIONIST IS ELECTED TO NEWMARKET SEAT

London, May 17.—The result of the polling in the by-election in Newmarket, caused by the death of Sir C. H. Ross, was J. C. Denison-Pender, Unionist, 5,251; George Nicols, Liberal, 4,490. Unionist majority, 861. It was at first thought that the result would be very close, but the Unionists grew confident as the day advanced.

Newmarket has always been a rather wobbly seat; for example, in 1900 the Unionists scored a victory with a majority of 992. In 1906 the Liberals captured the seat by 597. In 1909 the seat again went Liberal, this time by an increased majority, viz., 782. In January, 1910, the Unionist was elected with 120 of a majority, and in December of the same year the Unionist was again successful with a like majority to that of the earlier election of 1910, and the following December the Liberal was elected by 129 majority. John Cuthbert Denison-Pender, the successful Unionist candidate for the Newmarket Division of Cambridgeshire, was born in 1882. He left Eton at the age of 17 to learn in his father's shops the practical work of cable laying. He is a director of the Eastern and of the Eastern and South African Telegraph Companies and an all round athlete. He has a good record from his school days forward in various branches of sport.

As a politician Mr. Denison-Pender inherits Conservative tradition from his father, Sir John Denison-Pender, the famous cable expert, and his grandfather and uncle, who fought keen contests.

## MISS CONSIDING MARRIED

Seattle, May 17.—Society circles of Seattle and Vancouver, B. C., were stirred yesterday with the announcement of the quiet wedding at St. Peter's church, New Westminster, in which two of the most prominent young society folk of the northwest were the contracting parties. Miss Ruth Condsine, daughter of John W. Condsine, head of the Sullivan & Condsine vaudeville circuit, was married to E. W. MacLean, Jr., son of E. W. MacLean, the Vancouver capitalist.

## HEBRIDES NATIVES HOLD HUMAN FEASTS

Presbyterian Assembly Hears  
of Cannibalism in Its  
Worst Form

## FLESH OF PEOPLE IS CONSIDERED LUXURY

Islanders Assert Eating Animal  
Meat is Bestiality in  
Worst Form

## KIDNAPPING TO KEEP UP THE FOOD SUPPLY

Sydney, N. S. W., May 17.—Cannibalism in the worst form exists among the natives of the New Hebrides Islands, situated in the southern Pacific ocean, according to a statement made by Rev. Thomas Gillan, at the Presbyterian assembly of New South Wales, in support of previous statements made in connection with the islands. Human flesh is looked upon as a luxury and any tribal wars invariably end with a banquet on the most succulent portions of the youngest and tenderest victims, he says.

These banquets are not checked by the authorities. The natives are hard to instruct in the ways of Christianity and often apparently renounce their evil ways only to succumb when tempted. Many of them exhibit no shame at their cannibalistic habits, and some advance the peculiar theory that to dine off the flesh of inferior animals indicates one of the worst forms of bestiality. The confirmed cannibals will turn up his nose at those things which civilized man deems to be the most toothsome.

In speaking of the affairs in the New Hebrides generally, Mr. Gillan said that during twenty-four years' experience there he had found that the condition of the natives was deplorable and that trials under French laws were farcical, insufficient punishment being meted out. After a short residence in the islands Britishers became almost as bad as the French, although the Englishmen had proved to be the better traders.

Mr. Gillan further said that a large amount of kidnapping for cannibal purposes was going on in the islands.

In view of the fact that Rev. Mr. Gillan makes the above sensational statements with regard to the condition existing in the New Hebrides, directly after the evidence submitted by Rev. A. Paton on Wednesday last, during which he stated that the lawlessness in the islands was a disgrace to England, it is interesting to note that the latter reverend gentleman visited this city en route for Australia last April.

Mr. Paton, accompanied by his wife and family, stayed in Victoria for some time last month and then left by the Canadian-Australian liner for the Antipodes. While in this city, he told how he had been a missionary in the New Hebrides for some time and was returning to the Antipodes after a holiday in England.

## STRIKE OF SEAMEN EXPECTED IN JUNE

Havelock Wilson, President of  
Union is Chosen to  
Give Signal

London, May 17.—A general strike of British seamen is to be declared early in June as the sequel to the agitation for a national conciliation board to regulate working conditions on board ship, and it is possible, unless the demand is acceded to, that the transport workers throughout the country will come out in sympathy.

Tom Mann, who organized the great transport strike two years ago, has been engaged by the National Sailors' and Firemen's Union to carry on a month's campaign, which he commenced on May Day, to enlist the support of the transport workers.

The actual date of the strike will be kept secret, as it was two years ago, the giving of the signal being left to Havelock Wilson, the president of the union; Edward McHugh, M.P. for Mid-Tyrone, and Father Hopkins, trustees of the union.

## MUNICIPAL PARADE HELD

New York, May 17.—Twelve thousand city employees turned out to-day to give New York an object lesson in municipal government. The lesson was a street parade six miles long, made up of men and vehicles from nine city departments. The police and fire departments in a first have paraded annually, but to-day's procession was the first in which all the various municipal departments united.



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## NAVY BILL EXPECTED IN SENATE TUESDAY

To Be Introduced by Senator  
Lougheed; Sir George  
Ross Will Reply

Ottawa, May 17.—The naval bill had not reached the upper house yesterday when the senate adjourned till Tuesday. When the senate resumes on Tuesday, the bill is pretty sure to be there. The expectation is that it will come up for discussion on Thursday, and that inside of a week its fate will be determined.

Senator Lougheed will introduce the bill in a speech of some length, and the Liberal reply will come from Sir George Ross, probably on the day following. The senate itself does not know yet what will become of the bill. "You cannot tell what will happen," said a prominent Liberal senator last night.

There is not likely to be a very long discussion, as the measure has been so thoroughly discussed in the House of Commons and in the country. There is nothing to add, and the senate is likely to have a rush of other work on its hands.

The agricultural bill has squeezed through the upper house, but the highways bill is still at the second reading stage, and there are rocks ahead.

## WELSH GETS DECISION.

Winnipeg, May 17.—Freddie Welsh, the English lightweight champion, all but knocked out Jack Redmond, of St. Paul, in a lively twelve-round bout here to-night. Welsh forced the fighting in every round, and won all the way.

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## FORMAL FIRST READING GIVEN TO PARCELS POST BILL IN COMMONS

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Ottawa, May 17.—Hon. J. Pelletier presented to the House of Commons yesterday afternoon a resolution authorizing the establishment of a parcels post and providing for supervision, but stated that he was not ready as yet to explain the measure. The bill was given a formal first reading.

It does not go into details of the system, but it declares that parcels post is established and will be maintained in Canada for conveyance of parcels of all kinds, including farm and factory products, except such articles as may be excluded by regulations.

No parcel shall exceed eleven pounds in weight or be more than seventy-two inches in length. All charges are to be prepaid and rates are to be determined by the postmaster-general under the authority of the government. There will be two supervisors or inspectors.

When the bank act was under consideration in committee, Mr. White explained that it had not been sufficiently modified from the form in which it was introduced to the House. The chief changes were made as follows:

The provision in the bill for an audit had added further provision that the auditors should be selected from a list of forty, named and selected by the general managers of chartered banks, subject to veto by the minister. Shareholders will select their auditors from these forty.

Further provision had been made for the register of liens which the new act authorizes the banks to take on threshed grain and cattle. Slight modification had been made in the clauses regulating rates of interest and rates of exchange and agency charges.

Provision had been made under which the treasury board was to provide regulations for the sterilization of banknotes, and safeguards had been provided over the period between the incorporation of a bank and the issue of its currency certificates, while bank officials also would be liable for any corruption in making loans.

Several members objected to the fact that the term "cattle," upon which the banks could make loans, did not include hogs, and Mr. White explained that this clause of the bill had been added particularly for western ranchers, and was not meant to be extended to farmers generally. He said he would

not like to see the banks engage in a chattel mortgage business.

Hon. Frank Oliver said that the raising of hogs was a big industry in his part of the west, and that packing plants had been built up. As a result the western farmers were always being told to go into mixed farming, and they were in mixed farming in his district, but they were the very ones who would lose by this clause.

There was no exception drawn between large and small wheat growers, he said, and he did not see why there should be an exception between men who raised cattle and men who raised hogs.

When the House resumed consideration of the bank act after the dinner recess, J. A. M. Aikens argued that the section regarding the registration lines should be struck out. It was quite consistent with the principles of the bank act that farmers should be advanced money on their threshed grain.

Mr. White said that the banking and commerce committee had held the liens should be registered, although he was not convinced on that point himself. Banks should have the right, he said, to take liens on cattle, and a section had been put in the act to make it quite clear.

It had been a principle under the act for forty years that banks should look rather to personal security in the case of a farmer or retailer, but the case was different with the wholesaler. It would be unfortunate, he thought, if the banks really became chattel mortgagees of personal property of farmers. The proper principle had been to have loans made on short time promissory notes.

J. H. Sinclair thought there should be some definition of a "rancher" in the bill.

The question of the salaries paid to bank clerks was also raised. Several members thought that the clerks, particularly the juniors, are not adequately paid. Other members took a contrary view.

On the adjournment, Hon. Robert Rogers, who was leading the House, said if it was satisfactory to the opposition, the budget debate would be resumed on Monday.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier suggested that, as the attendance would be slim, it would be better to make it Tuesday. It was then agreed that supply and minor government bills would be the order of business on Monday.

## MERCHANT VESSEL ARMED FOR VOYAGE

Aragon to Convey Chilled Meat  
From Argentine Under 4.7-  
Inch Gun Protection

London, May 17.—The first merchant vessel to leave England armed in accordance with the proposals of Winston Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty, has sailed for South America. She is the Aragon, of the Royal Mail line, and she will bring home from the Argentine great quantities of chilled meat. Her sister ship, the Amazon, which is now completing, will be similarly outfitted. The necessary structural arrangements were made while the ships were building, and each vessel the Admiralty has supplied two 4.7 inch guns. The officers and seamen of the steamers include a large number of Royal Naval Reserve men, who in case of an emergency would be capable of manning the guns.

This armament is of course not intended for offensive purposes, but the Admiralty believes that for defensive purposes it is sufficient to counteract the risk of attack from lightly armed foreign merchant ships. It is the intention that a large number of steamers, especially those engaged in carrying food supplies, shall be thus armed in the future.

The scheme is entirely separate from that by which larger steamers, such as the Mauretania and Lusitania and the new steamers proposed for the Canadian service, are under contract with the government to be armed in case of war for both offensive and defensive purposes.

The German government has similar arrangements with the German lines, some of the vessels of which are so built that they could be converted into very formidable merchant cruisers.

## GENERAL DIAZ PUBLISHES HIS PLATFORM GIVING OUT ONLY GENERAL UNDERTAKINGS

Mexico City, May 17.—General Felix Diaz has published his platform in the form of a manifesto or open letter to the political clubs supporting him. In it he has carefully refrained from giving any but the most general undertakings, such as a promise to restore peace; to do justice to all; to encourage education, etc., and all without entering into details as to how he is going to proceed.

But the election of Diaz appears far from certain. Had the election for president been held the day after the close of hostilities in the capital, there is doubt he would have been elected without any material opposition. With Huerta in the chair, however, and a big revolution to attract or distract the people, there is much less heard of the popularity of General Diaz. There are many of his own partisans who have expressed the opinion that he never

will be president. It is nothing that he has done, say they, to turn from him the popular support, but rather the fact that he has done nothing spectacular since he ceased firing shrapnel into all quarters of the city.

Investigation of the army payroll has shown an expenditure of 27,000 pesos (\$13,500) a month for salaries to officers who never appeared in uniform. It is charged that this was the work of one of the Madero family. He is said to have used the payroll of the Rural Guard to pay off his own henchmen. His method was, according to the story told at the palace, to name a man whom he wished to favor or use, an officer in the rurales, at the same time telling the commanding officer that this new officer would report once a month for his pay. None of those appointees has appeared to collect his money since the overthrow of the Madero regime.

## FOURTH CENTENARY PACIFIC DISCOVERY

Celebration of Event by Vasco  
Nunez de Balboa to Be  
Held at Madrid

Madrid, May 17.—The fourth centenary of the discovery of the Pacific Ocean by Vasco Nunez de Balboa is to be celebrated here this year, and the president of Panama, Belisario Porras, has sent a letter to King Alfonso, assuring His Majesty of Panama's friendship for Spain. Balboa, the Spanish soldier and adventurer, first saw the Pacific Ocean from the isthmus of Panama.

President Porras sets forth that the bonds of kinship between Spain and the Hispano-American nations are every growing closer, and announces that the Panama National Assembly has decided to commemorate this centenary by a competition of lyric poetry; by an exposition in which Spain is specially asked to participate and by the erection at the entrance of the Panama Canal on the Atlantic Ocean of a colossal statue of Balboa, the cost to be defrayed by public subscription. He asks the King to place his name first on the list.

The Spanish government has decided to celebrate the centenary by organizing at Seville a congress of Hispano-American history and geography and an exposition of the products of the Indies and the Colombia library relative to the conquest and exploration of the New World by the Spaniards. The congress and exposition, which will serve as a fitting prelude to the great Hispano-American Exposition being organized for 1914 at Seville, will open on September 25 next, the anniversary of the discovery of the Pacific by Balboa in 1513.

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**WILL POPULARITY OF THE BIOSCOPE LAST?**

Four Hundred Picture Palaces Now Operate in City of London Alone

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(Special Correspondence to the Times.)  
London, May 16.—Will the popularity of the cinematograph last? Those who are investing money in these undertakings seem to have no doubt on the subject, and this week as part of the joint celebration of the Shakespeare Commemoration by the Shakespeare Reading Society, and the London Shakespeare League, we had an interesting discussion on "The Cinema in Its Relation to the Drama."

Not the least interesting fact which was elicited was the fact that in London alone there are now nearly four hundred picture palaces, while in the United Kingdom, the total approaches six thousand, the invested capital being two and a half million. Yet the number shows no sign of decrease, and unlike the boom in roller skating, which periodically is recorded in this country, and then dies away, there is no indication as yet that the public taste is satiated or that the community is bored by the choice of subjects. Yet even this is getting difficult nowadays. At first colonial themes held the field. There was little else except stories of Indian life and the doings in American mining camps. Now the topics are what the French aptly style "vieux jeu." Novels in picture form are the chief attraction, the latest being "Quo Vadis," which is about to be given in London at, we are told, an enormous expenditure of money, and with not a little risk to the Christian martyrs, since real lions and tigers were employed. Even a novel, however, to be a success must be dramatic.

That is why Wilkie Collins' "Woman in White" has proved such a success, although frankly I am surprised that no one has yet turned to Mrs. Henry Wood's productions, including—although I may be wrong on this point, for no one can be omniscient—"East Lynne." There is no such drama in this country in point of popularity among the masses, and I suppose there is hardly an artist of note who has not appeared in it at some stage or other of his or her career. Hence, the field for the picture play-maker among the novels is barely touched. Every day I live in the expectation of seeing both "Called Back" and "Michael Strogoff," those friends of my childhood, which were at any rate dramatic enough. Perhaps the reason for this very partial adaptation of themes from novels is due to the competitive influence of drama. All plays of note nowadays are being dramatized in tabloid form, and even Shakespeare is not exempted, for there is Henry VIII.; probably Hamlet will be the next to be submitted to the process.

On the other hand, there must be variety, something to thrill the audience, and this may explain the relative success of Dante's "Inferno," which struck me as being very crude, and "From the Manger to the Cross," which is still doing well, although one would very little about it. Up to the present no one has made a political picture play, but that is assuredly to come, and moving pictures would have long ago been taken of the scenes in parliament, such as the opening by the King, had the very dim light permitted, which it did not. Still, current topics are always drawn on, and we have seen variations of the white slave traffic, officially blessed by a bishop of repute, until everyone is tired of the subject. One point at least is noticeable, namely, no one nowadays objects to the cinematograph, and I positively believe that any number of clerics would be perfectly ready to admit it into places of worship if there was anything worth cinematographing. There is only one aspect of life which by its absence remains to prove a colossal success when some day, as it will be, it is taken in hand. Indeed, I am rather surprised that no one has done so yet, only perhaps the necessary permission has not been obtained. I refer to a day in the life of the King and Queen. In these days when monarchs have not only to advertise themselves, but to popularize their personalities in every way with their people, it is strange that the Kaiser at least has not set a precedent to his fellow-rulers in Europe. I do not despair, however, that he will soon do so.

For some time the theatres have been apprehensive lest the popularity of the cinematograph has damaged them personally. There was a bad theatre slump in March, and to a lesser degree in the early part of April, but every trace of this has now disappeared and I doubt whether there is one of these places of amusement which is not now turning money away. This may be partly due to good trade, but it is more likely to result from what one might call the educative process in theatricals or semi-theatrical matters. If a person who knows little about entertainments in general likes the picture palaces he probably works up to the higher form of drama. This week, however, there has been shown to the public a sort of half-way house between the picture palaces and the theatres. It is called the "Kinoplasticon," which gives stereoscopic figures in motion photography. The stage is lighted, and on it the figures advance, so it would seem, and retire, dance and sing, the latter being, of course, the work of a phonograph which is so timed as to accord with the movements of the lips of the simulated performers. The effect is certainly very striking, and although one house only apparently possesses the right to stage the novelty, no doubt in time others will enter into an arrangement to collaborate.

In any case, this invention holds out great possibilities for the actor, and

**UNCERTAINTY AS TO ALBANIA'S FRONTIER**

Unrest Now Reigning in Districts of Epirus; Country Overrun With Foreign Agents

(Special Correspondence to the Times.)  
London, May 15.—The following telegram has been received in London from Capt. Trappmann, who has been attached since the outbreak of the war to the staff of King Constantine with the Greek army in Epirus:

Athens, April 26th.

Owing to the uncertainty as to the frontiers of autonomous Albania, a great state of unrest is now reigning in those districts of Epirus, which fear they may be given over to Albania. The country is overrun with Italian and Austrian agents carrying on a vigorous Albanian propaganda, to the great disgust of the inhabitants. From every town and village throughout these wide provinces comes the same tale of indignation meetings of local notables sending deputations to foreign consuls and to the Greek authorities, asking for an assurance that they will not be handed over to Albania to satisfy the political ambitions of Austria and Italy. On Thursday a powerful representative deputation of six Christian notables and our Moslem boys, representing the towns and districts of Korytsa, Moschopolis and Corion, arrived at Salonica and visited all the European consulates, and begged for assurance that they would not be separated from the Motherland Greece. When questioned, these Moslem dignitaries explained that they knew the proposed Albania could never exist as a prosperous state, and expressed the hope that the frontier would be traced at a sufficient distance to insure their immunity from being raided from time to time by Albanian brigands. Moschopolis, now a mere village, had two hundred thousand inhabitants a century ago, when it was sacked and burnt by Albanians; it was the first town in the Orient to own a printing press, publishing Greek books in 1734. Korytsa has been the centre of Austrian propaganda, where, until a year ago, an Albanian school supported by Austrian finance had never more than fifty pupils, whilst unsubsidized Greek schools had and have twelve hundred scholars. The legal code practised in these provinces since A. D. 1100 is that of the Greek Metropolis. The deputation warned foreign consuls at Salonica that unless circumstances would they submit to form part of Albania, preferring to fight to the last. They also begged England and France to send envoys to inquire into the justice of their claim to be joined to Greece, and failing this, they begged the great British newspapers of unimpeachable authority and fairness to send special correspondents to enlighten western Europe as to the true state of feeling in these provinces. I hear that the deputation has telegraphed inviting the British papers to send correspondents to the spot.

**AMERICANS DIFFER OVER CANAL TOLLS**

Reminder of the British Consent to Arbitration in Several Matters

Mohonk Lake, N. Y., May 17.—A lively debate on the Panama Canal tolls occupied the Lake Mohonk conference on the international arbitration yesterday. Charlesagne Tower, former ambassador to Germany, presided. Thomas Raeburn White, of Philadelphia declared that for the United States to refuse arbitration in the canal tolls matter would convict them of hypocrisy. He cited numerous cases where Great Britain had yielded to United States insistence to arbitrate, and characterized as trivial, they interest in tolls as compared with those of Great Britain in the Alabama claims arbitration.

Representative K. R. Knowland, of California held that if the issue cannot be settled by diplomacy, it should be arbitrated by a British-American joint commission. Repeal of the tolls act, he said, would be an unwarranted surrender of American rights.

Don Seitz, of the New York World, declared: "We didn't begin the Panama business straight, and we have not been able to strengthen it out."

He was warmly answered by Rear-Admiral Colby M. Chester and Dr. Lyman Abbott.

politician, since they will be able to reproduce themselves wherever they like on the same evening. Thus, during a political election we may have Lloyd George simultaneously making Limehouse speeches in every town in the country, while the popular actor in London may be raking in money all over the world by a concurrent presentation of himself as he appears every night in London.

Perhaps the most hopeful feature, after all, of the picture palace craze is the diminution in the popularity of the so-called comic French pieces. They have mostly gone to those countries where the inhabitants are unsophisticated, and no doubt they are now popular in Central Africa and mid-China. I know they were in Japan five years ago, and by this time even the Japanese must have tired of them. In fact, for the generous outlay of two cents many palaces in London give quite a good show, and for six they will throw you in a comfortable armchair for the evening.

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### IMPORTANT AMENDMENTS.

It is impossible to attach too much importance to the bill introduced by the Minister of Justice at Ottawa yesterday adding certain amendments to the criminal code. Legislation of this nature is of greater moment to the people of Canada than naval or military defence, questions of trade or purely material progress. No nation, however prosperous, can be other than short-lived without wise laws touching its social life and fibre. The great empires of the past decayed because vice and corruption preyed upon their vitals. It was Rome that destroyed the empire of the Caesars. Sedan, Gravelotte and the ruin of Louis Napoleon were merely the outbreaks of a moral malady. No lesson has been more clearly or forcibly emphasized by history than that "righteousness exalteth a nation."

The principal amendments to the criminal code as proposed by the Minister of Justice briefly are: Drastic penalties upon those engaged in the nefarious white slave traffic; restriction of the sale of firearms; making it a criminal offence to lease houses for prostitution; adequate punishment of men who desert their wives and children when they are in want. Other provisions deal with the alienation of husbands and wives, the obtaining of credit by false statements and the circulation of spurious coins.

The white slave traffic should be crushed in an iron hand. It is the most hideous ulcer that can fester upon the life of a country. It is becoming prevalent in Canada and a case occurred in our own city a few days ago. There should be no mawkish sentimentality in dealing with the human caricatures engaged in this traffic. We punish with draconian severity highway robbers, embezzlers, forgers and other offenders against the laws which protect private property, but these are eminently polished and respectable members of society in comparison with the vile reptiles who prey upon our womanhood.

The proposed restrictions upon the sale of firearms and other offensive weapons which lend themselves to convenient concealment and manipulation are also required at this stage. Canada's immigration now includes a large representation of those races whose methods of settling personal differences are still primitive. The knife and revolver to them are the only logical recourse. They must be taught differently. We want no professional gunmen in this country and if we make the carrying of concealed weapons an unhealthy exercise we will keep down our mortality statistics.

A few years ago the Montreal police, roused by the numerous shooting affrays among the foreign element in the city, raided their quarter and searched every man they came across. They collected a wagon load of knives, revolvers, rifles, razors and knuckle-dusters. Every other man, almost, had an offensive weapon of some kind concealed on his person and some of them were walking armaments. No doubt his knowledge of these conditions in the big eastern city has moved the Minister of Justice, who is a Montreal man, to include this important provision in the amendments introduced by him.

### THE SEAMEN'S INSTITUTE.

The proceedings at the annual meeting of the Seamen's Institute last Thursday ought to convince all Victorians that the time is ripe for a concerted effort on behalf of the work for establishing a sailors' home in Victoria. The public apathy towards this very necessary and highly commendable institution has been remarkable, and for the credit of the city alone it is expedient that the money needed for the completion of the work, started when the Duke of Connaught laid the corner

stone, should be forthcoming at an early date as possible.

There is scarcely any need to enlarge on the good work that the Seamen's Institute can do in a port which boasts of having the largest tonnage of any in Canada. It is but right and fitting that the men who go down to the sea in ships should be recompensed for the weary months at sea by added attractions at every port they visit, and the fact that Victoria is in many cases the first stopping place after long voyages across the Pacific ought to impress the need of some medium of pleasure and recreation for them still more on the public mind.

The self-appointed task of the Seamen's Institute throughout the world is a most noble one. It is to offer to the men who are toiling for the commercial interests of the world such wholesome pleasures and attractions during their stay in port as shall more than compensate them for the loss of the more vicious forms of enjoyment to which sailors, immured for months within the narrow boundaries of a ship's hull, are often prone. It is to care for these men if they are sick, and in short to provide for those whose home is on the sea, temporary homes in every port of the world.

That Victoria should take her part in this great service is an obvious duty that must be patent to all. If she cannot at first carry out the scheme which was primarily mooted, she ought at least to prepare some temporary accommodation for the many mariners who call at this port. For a work of this kind, the \$20,000 necessary should not long go unsubscribed.

In view of the fact that the federal government has collected \$40,000 from this port in tonnage dues for sick sailors, we think it should make a substantial contribution to this worthy cause.

### INTERNATIONAL SPIES.

Yesterday's cable to the effect that certain important plans have been stolen from the navy department of the United States government, brings to mind again the fact that practically every power to-day keeps somewhere in the background a well-organized secret service contingent of daring and clever spies. However regrettable this international custom may appear to the peacefully minded, and however wrong it may be from a strictly ethical point of view, we must not lose sight of the fact that it is after all but a corollary of the existing militaristic conditions which obtain in Christendom to-day. In the intense and bitter rivalry that prevails between nations, every secret that is possessed by one is of importance to another, and the international spy is a product of these conditions.

His lot is not a pleasant one, nor is his work in the least degree ennobling. On the other hand, his tasks are not infrequently demand, trickery, baseness, bribery and corruption in their fulfilment. Failure means death or imprisonment. The spy is as a rule nothing more nor less than a highly scientific cracksmen who burgles international secrets instead of jewels, and uses a well filled purse in lieu of a jemmy whereby to open locked doors. While the emoluments for such occupation are, we believe, usually considerable, yet the risk of disgrace and of years of incarceration, coupled with the fact that whether he performs well or ill the country can never offer any recognition of his services, more than offset any monetary advantage that the international spy may reap from the dangerous work that he executes.

There have been many cases before the courts of Britain and Germany, particularly in the last few years, of men caught in the act of "spying," which usually may be interpreted as taking photographs of forts, or obtaining copies of the plans of some new invention. In each case the punishment meted out was long imprisonment. Of course there was the usual amount of unfavorable comment from the country to which the spy belonged, and the usual murmurings of "unfair punishment" and the like. Too often the net results of these spying expeditions seems to be nothing more than the fomenting of bad blood between nations to which baneful end there are already far too many agencies in vogue. In fiction, however, a tale of romance has been shed about the life of the international spy. He is held up as a patriot who, with selfless motives, serves his country at infinite self sacrifice. We are all familiar with the characters of William Le Queux, Philip Oppenheim and Louis Tracey, and at their hands at least the much abused spy receives, we like to think, what is his due.

The bank clearings of New York for the week ending May 8 aggregated \$1,977,612,000. This is more than two-fifths the whole clearing total of the United States for that week. Chicago's clearings amounted to \$331,163,000, and Philadelphia's to \$190,350,000.

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## REAL IRISH LACE CROCHET, IN TUNIC EFFECTS, \$35.00 VALUES, SELLING MONDAY \$10.00

LOVELY designs—beautiful work—and those who do not wish to wear them as a tunic could cut them and use for trimmings. They would make lovely lace collars, or fancy yokes, or make medallions for trimming costumes, and a host of other useful purposes. They are selling Monday at less than one-third their regular price. Your choice from white or ecru.

Mantle Department—First Floor

## FIRST SHOWING OF LINEN COATS AND SUITS THIS SEASON

THEY are to be seen in the View Street windows and tell their own story better than we can possibly tell it in this advertisement.

The Suits come in white, tans and blue and white stripes, and greys, in the plain tailored style, with two big button fastenings and belted effects; others have just the belt across the back and patch pockets; skirts have the let-in side pleats trimmed with large buttons. Prices range, per suit, \$6.75, \$7.50 and .....\$8.75

The Motor Coats are full length, in very smart styles. Some are finished with leather on collars and cuffs; others are finished at the waist with a belt all round, with double pleat in back, and can be worn open or closed. Splendid values at \$5.00 and .....\$8.75

See View Street Windows

## Something Entirely New in Scrim Curtains

These curtains are made with a hem-stitched edge and finished with handsome lace; they come in ivory and ecru and are very durable and artistic; 50 in. wide and 3 yds. long. To introduce these curtains, we will offer them Monday at, per pair, \$4.50.

Nottingham Nets—We have just opened up a new range of handsome Nottingham Nets, both in the fine and heavy makes. These are very suitable for small windows. Space does not permit our giving a detailed description of the good qualities of these nets. We have a special range in ivory, white and Arab shades. Special selling Monday at, per yard, .....\$0.50

Bungalow Scrims—A new shipment of American Bungalow Scrims just to hand. Some have handsome borders and plain centres, other all-over effects. They come in white, cream and ecru shades. Special price for Monday's selling, per yard, .....\$0.35

500 Yards of American Silklines, 36 in. wide and all reversible, a large range of dainty colors both in small and large patterns; also shadow effects. Price, per yard, .....\$0.15

## Buying Your Window Shades Monday, Means Saving Money

We carry a large stock of Window Shades in all the different makes, both in Lancaster, Window Hollands and Oil Opaques. Estimates for any requirements in Window Shades gladly submitted free. A special shade mounted on a good strong roller, size 36 in. wide and 2 yds. long, in cream and green. Selling Monday at, each, .....\$5.50

Brass Curtain Rods—We are showing an extensive range of Brass Curtain Rods, which extend from 36 in. to 45 in.; a good rod with brass ends. Special value, each .....10 and 15¢

Sun Blinds for 50c Monday—Now is the time for you to buy your Sun Blinds. Our stock is complete with a good range of different qualities for Summer homes, verandas and porches. These come in the natural color and green, and in various sizes. A special for Monday's selling is a blind 4 ft. wide and 8 ft. long. Each .....\$0.50

## Spencer's Inlaid Linoleum Beautifies a Home

If you have not got Spencer's Inlaid Linoleum on your floors, you are missing one of the great joys of home life. It not only beautifies a home through the pattern it wears off, but requires no scrubbing, and is easy to keep clean. It, therefore, saves time and labor. The first initial cost is a little more than the cheaper grade, but it lasts four or five times as long and looks nicer. 500 yards in extra quality is offered for sale Monday, in block, floral and tile effects, in both light and dark shades, at, per square yard, .....\$5.50

Printed Linoleums at 30c per Yard Monday—800 square yards of Printed Linoleums to be sold on Monday at a special price. A very large range of colors and patterns to select from. These come in matting effects, both in light and dark shades; also fancy tile and block patterns; are well painted and well seasoned. Selling, per square yard, on Monday .....\$0.30



## A Charming Assortment of Waists at \$1.75

WE have a special showing of some of the most popular styles in Waists that sell at \$1.75. They include some very neat and smart designs, are exceptionally well made and we recommend them with every confidence both to wear and launder well.

Some of the styles shown include:

Linenette Waist, with neat embroidered pattern, Robespierre collar, fastening up front with buttons and lace; ¾ length sleeve with turnback cuff.  
Muslin Waist, with embroidered medallion front and a row of eyelet embroidery on either side. ¾ length sleeve with turnback cuffs; edged with lace, high fancy collar finished with a black velvet bow.  
Muslin Waist, A very neat style. Front trimmed with clusters of pin tucks and crocheted buttons, Y-shaped neck of lace insertion; ¾ length sleeve trimmed with wide insertion and lace edging.

See This Showing in View Street Windows

## A Choice Selection of Carpets Go on Sale Monday

Axminster Squares—We are showing an extensive range of seamless Axminster Squares in all the leading qualities. Some of these have medallion centres, others all-over patterns, in a large range of combination colors. A special rug for Monday's selling in size 3 yds. x 4 yds. ....\$32.00

Brussels Squares—An extensive range of good quality Brussels Squares in all the leading patterns and colors. These are made with interwoven borders and in a large range of combination designs. A special square 3 yds. x 4 yds., on sale Monday for .....\$24.00

24 Only Best Quality Tapestry Squares, all woven in one piece; a large range of combination patterns to select from. The size of these squares is 3 x 3½ yds. Price for Monday's selling .....\$13.50

Moravian Squares—We are showing a large range of Moravian Squares in good patterns, all reversible. A special size, 2 yds. x 3 yds., on sale Monday, each .....\$6.75

Japanese Squares—25 only Japanese Squares in step patterns; a good range of different colors in reds and greens; suitable for camps or Summer cottages. Size 3 x 4 yds. Special, each, Monday .....\$2.75

Fibre Rugs—25 only Fibre Rugs, all reversible. These rugs are made from good strong fibre and are very artistic in designs and colors, and are very suitable for verandas and Summer homes. Size 3 ft. x 6 ft. Selling on Monday, each .....\$3.00

50 Only Axminster Rugs, size 24 x 48 in., finished with fringed ends; a good quality rug. Special clearing line, Monday .....95¢

## A Complete Stock of Camp Furniture at Popular Prices

Our range of Camp Furniture is now complete and we have Camp Stools made from good strong wood with steel fittings, covered with duck and also carpet. These stools range in price from \$1.10 to \$3.00.

We also have some very fine Camp Swings or Settees in Early English finished wood, fastened with chains, making them very strong and durable. These range in price, from \$4.00 to \$6.00 each.

Rocking Chairs—We are showing a very extensive range of Rocking Chairs, both in cobbler and wood seats. These chairs come in Golden Oak, Early English and in Fumed Oak, and very special values at, each \$3.50 and \$3.90

## \$2.50 For Sea Grass Chairs

A new shipment of Sea Grass Furniture just to hand, comprising Chairs, Rockers, Settees and Tables. The Chairs range in price from \$2.50 to \$3.90, the Rockers \$4.90 to \$6.00, and the Settees \$8.50 each.

## Rustic Hickory Furniture

There is nothing more suitable for Summer homes, verandas or camps than Ye-Old-Time Rustic Hickory Furniture; it is made to last, being very strong and durable. We have a large assortment of different styles of Chairs and Rockers; the Chairs start from \$2.75 to \$6.00, the Rockers from \$3.50 to \$7.50, and the Settees at \$10.00 each. We also have some very nice Round Tables made from the same kind of wood, very suitable for veranda and lawn use. Each \$9.00.

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## Make Things Shine With "REDIO"

Redio cloths do away with paste and liquid polishes. Everything necessary for imparting a brilliant polish to cutlery, all metal work and jewelry is contained in the cloths themselves. Cheap, speedy and efficient. Two for 25c at

**Cyrus H. Bowes**  
1228 Government Street.  
Phone 425, 480

## A Choice 150 Acre Farm

110 acres under cultivation, including 1500 ft. water-frontage. Price is right and terms are easy.

**J. F. BELBEN**  
617 Cormorant Street  
Telephone 1168. Residence R2344

## 5 Lots at Port Angeles CHEAP

8-roomed house on Roseberry Street ..... \$7000

**A. H. MITCHELL**  
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## GENUINE IMPORTED WURZBURGER BEER

The choicest Beer of the German market, on draught at

## Murphy's Cafe

Business Men's Lunch, Steaks, Chops, etc.

## Choice Lot

Harriett Road, beautiful high lot, inside city limits, 50x160, nicely treed; no rock; splendid view. Terms, \$500 cash, balance easy. Price . . . \$1600

Cordova Bay, choice lot, waterfront, fine sandy beach, easy access, fresh water piped on. Terms easy. Price . . . \$2500

## John Greenwood

Phone 1425. Res. Phone R1797  
Real Estate, Fire Insurance.  
613 Sayward Bldg., Victoria, B. C.

## "CONFUSION" A SUCCESS.

Comedy Presented by Western Star Amateurs Pleased Large Audience.

On Thursday and last night the Western Star Amateur Dramatic Society presented the three-act comedy, "Confusion," in Semple's hall, Victoria West. Everyone taking part did exceedingly well and their efforts were well brought out by the setting itself, which was excellent. Specialties between the acts in the form of vocal solos were sung by Miss Hattie Stratton and John Oliver, both of which were pleasingly rendered. A tombola drawing took place on Thursday night, the lucky person receiving a five dollar gold-piece, while on Friday night dancing was indulged in after the performance continuing until midnight. The production was under the direction of H. Haenfratz.

## BRIEF NEWS OF THE CITY

Ladies' Tailor—Wm. Stewart, men's and ladies' tailor, room 5, Haynes Bldg., Fort street.

Victoria Carnival Week, August 4th to 9th, 1913.

Hanna & Thomson, Pandora Ave.—Leading funeral furnishing house. Connections, Vancouver, New Westminster and Winnipeg.

S. P. C. A.—Cases of cruelty 'phone Inspector Russell, 1921; secretary, L1732.

"The B. C. Funeral Co., Chas. Hayward, president, 734 Broughton street. Calls promptly attended to. Phone 3235.

Phoenix Beer, 2 quarts for 25c.

Bookie Harbor Hotel—Come down for the fishing. Sunday dinner 1 o'clock.

Economy Wet Wash Laundry.—Family wash, 75c a week. Clothes returned on the following day, thoroughly washed. Phone 3239. 3612 Bridge Street.

Phone 864 for good millwood. \$3.00 double load. \$1.50 single load.

Bookie Harbor Hotel.—Good dinner, 84 miles from town. Good roads, good dinner.

Bookie Harbor Hotel.—For motorist. Afternoon tea served. Large garage. Gasoline sold.

H. Markness & Son, wholesale and retail wallpaper dealers, 817 Pandora avenue. Estimates furnished.

Immigrants Arriving find it very convenient to be able to furnish a three-room cottage or flat for \$75.00. Anybody can do it at The Standard Furniture Co., 731 Pandora Ave. Your credit is good.

Does That Fireplace Smoke? Is the draft faulty? Does it consume too much fuel? Call us, we'll fix it. J. F. McNamara, 943 Pandora Ave.

Phoenix Beer, 2 quarts for 25c.

The Hospital for Sick Lawn-Mowers is at 614 Cormorant. Cure guaranteed.

G. S. Biewagon, Esquimalt Fuel Company.—South Wellington Coal, \$7.50 a ton. Orders promptly attended to. Phone R2393.

Eyes Examined.—Glasses fitted. A guarantee with every pair. J. P. Ebert, Graduate optician and optometrist, 732 Yates Street. Garage Bldg.

Autos for Hire.—Balmoral Hotel. Day phone 4473. Night phone 105.

Gasoline at Reduced Rates.—Phone 1044 and ask us about it. Sprague & Co.

For fire, marine, automobile, liability, sickness and accident, plate glass, elevator and employers' liability, consult Gillespie, Hart & Todd, general agents for British Columbia. All claims settled and paid by our office.

Full Dress Suits rented, 609 Yates Street.

Lost.—Last evening a small box containing five diamond rings. Finder liberally rewarded on returning to Times office.

Bookie Harbor Hotel, overlooking the Olympics and Straths, a good place to spend Sunday. Country dinner, 1 o'clock. The best.

Phoenix Beer, 2 quarts for 25c.

Roofs Made Fire-Proof by Newton & Greer Co., 1326 Wharf Street, makers of "Nag" Roof composition.

Preaches To-morrow.—The Rev. A. Henderson will preach to-morrow in the Centennial church.

Sands & Fulton, Ltd., funeral directors, 1615 Quadra street. Phone 3306.

Phoenix Beer, 2 quarts for 25c.

Benevolent Protective Order Beavers.—Fraternity order is second to none in Canada. Join now and be a Beaver. Joe Ball, Esquimalt.

Phoenix Beer, 2 quarts for 25c.

Let the Children Dig.—Strong English garden sets for children, 30 and \$1.00; strong spades, 25c, 40c, 50c, and 60c. R. A. Brown & Co., 1302 Douglas street.

Victoria, B. C., the Queen City of Canada and the loveliest spot on God's green earth, with its beautiful lawns and flower beds, sweet cottages, elegantly furnished, but alas incomplete as regards the kitchen. Why not complete the home, by setting rid of those rusty iron roasters, chipped enamel pots and pans, and copper lined kettles, which are a source of danger and trouble in keeping clean, replacing them gradually, with the modern ware, the "Wear-Ever" Aluminum utensils, which are like silver, easily cleaned, easily heated, saving fuel and time, and giving satisfactory service for a period of years. W. I. Gordon, Agent, 768 Hillside Ave. Drop a postcard or Phone L4587 and will promptly call with samples.

"Nag" Roof Compositions are fire-proof and add years to the life of an old roof. See Newton & Greer Co., 1326 Wharf Street.

Good at all seasons; but especially good just now. Humber, Bavaria's finest beer, 10c per glass at the Kaiserhof.

Steitz Restaurant.—All white cooks. Union house, 570-572 Yates St.

Rooms papered or painted, \$5.00 and up, including materials. Victoria Wall Paper & Paint Co. Phone R4239.

They flew right in.—The best way to keep the flies out is to use screen doors and screen windows. Doors, \$1.25 to \$2.25; adjustable windows, 35c to 75c, at R. A. Brown & Co., 1302 Douglas St.

Removing on June 1.—Owing to the rapid increase in his business during the past few months, E. J. Cameron, distributor of the Alco, National, and Stutz pleasure cars for Vancouver Island, will remove on June 1 to 1014 Yates street, the premises at present occupied by the Begg Motor Company. Mr. Cameron is agent also for the Alco motor truck.

Curfew Shall Not Ring.—Just as the curfew was about to ring last night Aid. Dilworth rose to move that in connection with the curfew by-law the engineer at the power house be instructed to blow a whistle at the hour fixed.

Ald. Humber suggested the ringing of the fire-bell. The mayor reminded the council that it had already left over much more important matters until Monday and he saw no reason why this should not wait as well. It will wait.

Quarantine Inquiry.—H. W. R. Moore, who has been appointed by the federal government to make an inquiry into the conditions at the quarantine station, has fixed the opening of the inquiry for Tuesday at eleven o'clock in the forenoon at William Head. He asks that any person who desires to give evidence or has any statement to make communicate with him at his office, 397 Times Block.

Tramway Spur Line.—Application is being made to the city for approval of the spur line which the British Columbia Electric Railway Company proposes to lay to connect the Pandora Avenue line with the new terminal at Douglas and Cormorant streets. A spur has been laid on Cormorant street to permit of the carrying of material to the building, and the company is to be requested to fill in the space between the rails in this case so as to make a level road for the time being.

All outside rooms, plenty hot water, absolutely clean in every respect; first-class cafe and lunch counter in connection, at the Kaiserhof.

Degree for President.—The degree of LL. D. has been conferred on President F. T. Westrock, of the University of British Columbia, by the University of Toronto.

Elected a Fellow.—Charles Hill-Tout, of Abbotsford, the prominent British Columbian anthropologist, has been elected a Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada.

Our City Delivery.—The boys who carry the Times to subscribers are not permitted to sell papers. They are given enough papers to supply each subscriber with a copy, but none for sale. The sale of papers on the street is confined to newsboys, who do not deliver to subscribers. A strict observance of this rule by the public will save the carrier boys the penalties that sometimes accompany disobedience of orders.

V. M. C. A. Successes.—The members of the boys' department of the V. M. C. A. are greatly pleased with the success of their number in the High school at the high school sports yesterday. Boys who are members of the V. M. C. A. won eight first out of sixteen, nine second out of sixteen, and six thirds out of fourteen. They made a total of 91 points out of the 174 scored altogether.

Loan is Cabled.—The members of the boys' department of the V. M. C. A. are greatly pleased with the success of their number in the High school at the high school sports yesterday. Boys who are members of the V. M. C. A. won eight first out of sixteen, nine second out of sixteen, and six thirds out of fourteen. They made a total of 91 points out of the 174 scored altogether.

City Now in Possession of \$100,000 With Which Necessary Work Can Be Carried On.

As a result of the negotiations that have been in progress between the city and its fiscal agents, the Dominion Securities Company, the sum of \$100,000 was cabled from London yesterday afternoon to the city's credit.

Last night the city council passed a formal resolution authorizing the mayor to sign the agreement with the bankers, by which it is agreed that the loan shall stand as a first charge on the proceeds of the sale of the debentures now being offered in London. The agreement was not read, but it is understood that the rate of interest on the loan is six per cent.

The sale of the debentures is expected to be made very soon now, but in any case the money in hand will relieve the stringency and enable many necessary civic works to be resumed.

BAND CONCERT.

Programme Regimental Band Will Play in Beacon Hill Park To-morrow.

The programme to be rendered by the Fifth Regiment Band at Beacon Hill to-morrow afternoon is as follows:

March—"Celebration" . . . . . Kiell Selection—"Quaker Glee" . . . . . Serenade—"Love in Idleness" . . . . . (For four saxophones.)

Overture—"Oberon" . . . . . Von Weber (a) Spring Song . . . . . Mendelssohn (b) Intermezzo—"Justice" . . . . . Stambaugh Grand Selection—"Echoes from the Metropolitan" . . . . . Air, Tobani Paraphrase—"Nearer My God to Thee" . . . . . Air, Otto Langley Selection of Stephen Adams' Songs. March—"Springtime" . . . . . Von Blon

RECEPTION TO PASTOR

Annual Celebration of Rev. Dr. Clay's Introduction to Be Observed Earlier This Year.

It is almost nineteen years since the Rev. Dr. Leslie Clay was inducted to the pastoral charge of St. Andrews Presbyterian church. It has been the custom to mark that event by a reception tendered by the ladies of the congregation. Owing to his leaving shortly to attend the General Assembly in Toronto, the reception in the church parlors this year will be held a month earlier than usual, on Tuesday evening, May 20. The honorary degree of D. D. having been conferred recently on Dr. Clay, the reception may be taken as an occasion on which members of the congregation and others may extend their congratulations to the recipient.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS.

The following regimental orders have been issued by Lieut.-Col. A. W. Currie, commanding the Fifth Regiment, C.G.A.:

Headquarters, Victoria, B. C., May 14, 1913.

1. Discharged.—The following men having been granted their discharge are struck off the strength from this date: No. 2, Gnr. L. A. Goddard; No. 11, Gnr. D. Graham; No. 15, Gnr. L. Brunell; No. 45, Gnr. E. Greber; No. 72, Gnr. W. A. Yule; No. 76, Gnr. A. G. H. Pearse.

2. Enlisted.—The following men having been duly attested are taken on the strength of the regiment, and will assume the regimental numbers opposite their names: No. 205, Gnr. Clarence Spotswood; No. 149, Gnr. F. Storey Christopher.

3. Parade.—The regiment will parade at the Drill on Wednesday, the 20th instant, at 8 p.m. Dress—Drill order.

4. Posted.—The following man having been passed by the adjutant is posted to No. 2 company: No. 110, Gnr. H. L. Robinson.

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In order to permit recruits to attend the Kermesse, there will be no recruit parade on Thursday evening next. The battalion will parade as usual on Friday evening.

City Will Appeal.—Having heard from the city solicitor last night of the failure of the city's appeal against the assessment of its property in Oak Bay, the council instructed Mr. Robertson to enter and prosecute a further appeal to the county court judge.

## A LINE O' CHEER EACH DAY O' TH' YEAR

By John Kendrick Bangs

### THE WISER COURSE.

No word of wrath shall come from me  
When things go wrong upon my beat—  
I'll hold my tongue from growling free  
And do my kicking with my feet!

### MAFEKING DAY

To-day is Thirteenth Anniversary of Event Which Was Received With Joy in England.

To-day is the thirteenth anniversary of the relief of Mafeking, following a siege which lasted from October, 1899, to May 17, 1900, during which the people of that western point of operations had suffered severely from lack of food, intermittent and devastating sickness, and other evils attendant on so prolonged a siege.

The investing Boer force made a final attack on May 12, but Colonel Baden-Powell surrounded and cut off the attacking force when it got inside the camp, and Colonel Mahon, who on May 4 set out from Barkley West with a mounted column, finally relieved the city on May 17.

The news was received with great joy in England, although after the fall of Pretoria De Wet began guerrilla tactics which prolonged the war for two years. It was not until the "Great Drive" established by Lord Kitchener early in 1902 that the Boers began to show definite signs of defeat, but the system finally proved effective, and terms of surrender were offered by the British government in the spring of the same year, and signed at Pretoria on May 31.

ROSS BAY SEAWALL

Driveway Will Be Paved With Asphalt, Forming Continuation of the Marine Drive.

As the filling in which was done behind the Ross Bay seawall has now settled as much as it is going to do the permanent paving of the surface of what will be a continuation of the marine drive along the waterfront of the city will be undertaken.

Two tenders for the work were submitted and a report on these was received by the council last night from the chairman of the streets committee and the city engineer. This was accepted by the council and the contract will be awarded to the Worwack Paving Company at \$1.10 per square yard for heavy asphalt paving and 9c cents for light asphalt.

The other tender was from the Canadian Mineral Rubber Company, which offered to do the work for \$1.25 for heavy and \$1.10 for light paving.

There are eighteen hundred yards of heavy asphalt to be laid where the traffic will be heaviest and 5,000 yards of lighter paving at the sides.

TO DEDICATE MAY 26

Ceremony Will Take Place at New Knights of Pythias Castle.

On Monday, May 26, the new castle of the Knights of Pythias in North Park street is to be dedicated. For the past 15 years the order has been meeting in the Todd building, corner of Pandora avenue and Douglas, but the proposal to erect the terminals for the new Saanich line of the B. C. Electric railway there made it necessary for new quarters to be found. The new hall has been erected by the Victoria Pythian Castle Hall, Limited, at a cost of \$65,000. Among the provision for accommodation is a large room which will seat 500, two small halls seating 150 each, a banquet hall which will seat 30 and a kitchen. At the dedication Grand Chancellor Winn, and the grand lodge officers of the domain of British Columbia, will officiate. Lodges Far West, No. 1 and Victoria No. 17 taking part.

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## You Should Have One of These Just Arrived Mendelssohn Pianos

They have just come in, just unpacked, and they are to be seen now in all their rare charm in our demonstration rooms. No medium-priced piano on the market can compare with these either in beauty of case design and architecture or in tone quality.



If you are interested in buying a piano and do not care to spend the amount necessary to purchase one of the high-priced makes, do not fail to see these Mendelssohn Pianos before the last of them is gone. We find it difficult to keep them in stock, because they have gained a great reputation on Vancouver Island. They are sweet toned and mellow, with all the latest improvements, and those we are now showing include mahogany and mission oak finishes.

Prices: \$290, \$325, \$350, \$375

Terms as low as \$10 down

Remember that we are Western Canada's Largest Music House and that in dealing here you are taking advantage of our standing and reputation.

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On Finlayson Street, 5 rooms, bathroom, full basement; paved street. A first-class buy at \$3,500, \$500 cash, balance to suit. Five acres, all cleared, no rock, close to railway, \$2,750, \$300 cash, balance 1, 2, 3, 4 years.

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## "Massey-Harris" Rigid Frame Cycle



## "Massey-Harris" Cushion Frame Cycle

There is more of durability, fine appearance and finish in this machine at \$45.00 than you are often offered at a considerably higher price. If you want a light speeder roadster of natty appearance but moderate price—this is your machine. Frames from \$9 to 28 inches. Dunlop Tires and Coaster Brakes. For ladies or gentlemen.

**\$45.00**

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Phone 698

So says the cyclist who has purchased his machine at Plimley's. Long experience has taught us what machines are most suited to local conditions, and the result is that here can be found a wide range of the best makers' best machines, all marked at Plimley's Popular Prices. Such world-renowned makes as Humber, Singer, Enfield, Massey-Harris and Coventry Cross are indicative of the standard of our stock.

Pullman comfort in cycling—that's what this cushion frame offers you. This special feature is extremely simple in construction, but adds incalculably to the life of the whole machine. One of the best known and most ridden cycles in the whole Dominion. Last year our price for this model was \$55.00, but we can now offer ladies' or gentlemen's models at only

**\$55.00**

727-735 Johnson  
Phone 697

**THOS. PLIMLEY**

# Along the Waterfront

Shipping News from Day to Day

## NEW ZEALAND TO BE HERE IN JULY NEXT

Admiralty is Making Special Arrangements to Coal New Dreadnought

Vancouver, May 17.—The British Admiralty is taking no chances on coal strikes affecting the supply of fuel for H. M. S. New Zealand, the battleship presented to Great Britain by the people of New Zealand. It is well-known that the ships of the royal navy use nothing but the best Welsh steam coal, and during the New Zealand's round-the-world voyage she has been met at various points by steamers carrying Welsh coal for her. This will also apply in Vancouver, for news has been received from Wales that the steamer Glenarthy is coming here with Welsh coal for the New Zealand. The Glenarthy has sailed from Cardiff, and is expected in Vancouver on July 26. She is a big tramp of 3,300 net tons. She will have sufficient coal to stock up the battleship for her run down the west coast, where she will be met by other Welsh colliers. H. M. S. New Zealand is expected here on July 25, and will remain in port until August 2. She is now in New Zealand waters giving the people of the southern dominion a chance to look over their gift to the British navy. She will come here via Suva and Honolulu.

## TO PROTECT WHARVES AT OUTER DOCKS

For some time past it has been expected that the owners of the outer wharf would be required to take some measures to fence off the steamer berths in order to regulate the passenger and transient traffic on the arrival of the overseas boats.

A representative of R. P. Rithet & Company this morning stated that the subject had been under consideration, but that the decision would be to fence the pier off had not yet been reached. It was certain that with the anticipated arrival of the Niagara in the week after next, and the Empress of Russia next month, some steps would be taken to prevent indiscriminate mixing of passengers, friends, and the curious public at the waterside, which caused considerable trouble to officials in the transaction of business.

## DUE HERE MAY 24

The Allan Line S. S. Hesperian from Glasgow is expected in Quebec to-morrow and in Montreal Monday. Passengers are due in Victoria, May 24.

## SHIPPING GUIDE

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.		
From the Orient.		
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From Liverpool.		
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From Antwerp.		
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From New York.		
Aina	June 1	
For the Orient.		
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Seattle Maru	May 27	
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For Liverpool.		
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For Australia.		
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From San Francisco.		
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For San Francisco.		
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Queen	May 28	
For Skagway.		
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For Northern B. C. Ports.		
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Camouan	May 22	
Prince Rupert	May 22	
For the West Coast.		
Tees	May 20	
Charmar	May 19	

Bands to Take Part.—The music committee in connection with the Victoria Day celebration have made arrangements with five bands to play during the celebration of May 24. These are the Fifth Regiment, Salvation Army, Rowlands Concert band, Boy Scouts band and the Fifer's band. It is the intention of the committee to see that there is plenty of music that day at all the stages of the celebration.

Decoration of Windows.—In order to add to the gala appearance of the city on May 24 the committee is asking merchants to decorate their show windows, and to encourage them six prizes are being offered for the most artistic ones. The generosity of a citizen has made this possible. The prizes are: First, \$50; second, \$35; third, \$25; fourth, \$20; fifth, \$15; sixth, \$10. The judges will be chosen later.

## RECORD-PASSENGER LIST ON EMPRESS

White Liner Has Every Berth Filled; Many Prominent People on Board

## LARGE CARGO OF SILK IS HANDLED

Smooth Passage is Made by the Empress of Japan

The Empress of Japan arrived from the Orient one day ahead of schedule this morning and berthed at the outer dock about 9 o'clock. She brought the largest saloon passenger list for months, including several distinguished men and women, whose names are well known throughout the Empire.

Capt. Hopcroft said the passage had been delightful, and the passengers agree that with the exception of a few days of rough weather at the commencement of the trip, the Pacific has been like a mill pond.

Of the Oriental steerage passengers there were 97 Chinese, 14 Japanese and one Hindu landed here, the remainder going on to Vancouver. Three other Hindus tried hard to persuade the immigration authorities to allow them to break the journey, but as their identification papers were made out for the Terminal City, the immigration officer refused to permit them to land here. The United States immigration department will look after a white stowaway who was taken off the ship.

As usual there was a very valuable cargo of silk of all kinds, which was rushed east by the special train waiting the white liner's arrival at Vancouver. There were 1,337 packages of raw, 410 of wild, 326 of waste, 243 of silk goods and 27 of pongees, all of which will cross the continent in the special. Other important items in the hatch list were 3,426 packages of tea, 1,436 of rice, beans, sugar and other Oriental goods figured largely in the cargo.

The season for travel, Capt. Hopcroft said, is again approaching, and on the Empress of Russia, the next C. P. R. liner to berth here on her maiden trip, there will be a numerous party of round-the-world travellers. He stated that though she was slightly off her schedule, the Russia would leave Hongkong promptly on time and would show up at the outer wharf without fail on June 7.

Among the passengers were Rt. Hon. Sir Savile Crossley, Bart., and Lady Crossley, Rt. Hon. Sir Joseph West Ridgeway and General Sir Alfred Turner.

San Francisco, Cal., May 17.—The five vessels reported on Thursday as having been chartered on time for business from the Atlantic to the Pacific are the British steamers Border Knight, Spithead, Crosshill, Navarra and Earl of Douglas. These vessels are for June loading on the Atlantic, and get rates ranging from \$2.42 up to \$4.

In addition to these, seven more are reported fixed for the same business, three of which are the Largo Law, Belle of Scotland and Frankmere, the other four being as yet unnamed.

While it is not definitely announced, it is the general presumption that these twelve vessels have been taken on government account for the trans-shipment of coal from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

Supplies of coal at Pearl Harbor, San Francisco and Bremerton are only moderate, and any increase of the Pacific squadron will necessitate considerably larger stores.

## PRINCESS PATRICIA WILL BE OVERHAULED

Brought Here to Be Cleaned Up; On Double Daily Service Next Week

Work on repairs to the Princess Sophia will be completed by the end of the present month and she will then be placed in the double northern run to Skagway, which is scheduled to commence on June 1.

The Princess Patricia will be brought to the Victoria Machinery Depot ways to-morrow to undergo spring cleaning, and when she has been furnished up, the double service between Nanaimo and Vancouver will be started on Tuesday. The sailing hours will be as follows: Leave Nanaimo 7 a. m., arrive Vancouver 9 p. m., leave Vancouver at 10 o'clock, arrive at 12 p. m. The afternoon boat will leave the Nanaimo wharf at 3.15, after connecting with the Port Alberni train, the steamer arriving in Vancouver 5.15. It will again depart for Nanaimo at 6.30, arriving two hours later. Meanwhile the Princess Royal will fill her place in the run to Vancouver.

The Canadian Pacific officials are preparing to handle a very large number of holiday makers next Saturday for the celebration in this city.

## SCHOONER GROUNDS IN PRECARIOUS POSITION

Sydney, N. S. W., May 17.—Forced to run for Botany Bay during the height of a storm, the United States schooner George E. Billings grounded on a sandbank yesterday, and is in a precarious position.

At first it was hoped that the vessel would be refloated without damage, but she is now firmly stuck and was thought. Although her bottom is sound, she has a heavy list to starboard, and is in considerable peril, and is believed to be a complete wreck.

The underwriters have charge of the salvaging operations, which are being greatly hindered by the heavy seas breaking over the vessel.

## SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

San Pedro, Cal.—Arrived: Steamer J. B. Stetson, Gray's Harbor, via San Francisco; steamers Hanalei, Harvard, Santa Clara and State of California, San Francisco; British steamer Besant, Dollar, Japanese ports, via San Francisco; steamer William H. Murphy, Eureka, sailed; Steamer General Hubbard, Eureka; U. S. S. Maryland, Controller, Bay, Alaska.

San Francisco, Cal.—Arrived: Steamer Bee, Columbia River; German steamer Seraph, Hamburg; Adelaide Smith, Cook Bay; Col. E. L. Drake, and barge 85, Seattle; Centralia, Gray's Harbor. Sailed: Steamers Roanoke, Portland; Tenyo Maru, Hongkong; Hydades, Honolulu, via Seattle and Tacoma; Johan Poulsen, Portland.

Tacoma, Wash.—Arrived: Steamer Frankmont, Honolulu, via Noyo and Seattle; steamer Mexican, Seattle; Yukon, Seattle; schooner Allos Cook, Honolulu; Portland, Seattle. Sailed: Steamer Hornet, San Francisco.

Astoria, Ore.—Arrived: Steamer Camino, San Francisco; steamer Quinlan, San Francisco; steamer Adelaide, San Francisco; steamer Westerner and Yellowstone, San Francisco; steamer Cricket, Redondo Beach; steamer Navajo, San Francisco; steamer George W. Elder, San Francisco and San Pedro; schooner Robert R. Hind, New Caledonia; steamer Yosemite, California.

Seattle, Wash.—Arrived: Steamer Frankmont, Noyo; steamer Admiral Farragut, San Francisco; steamer City of Puebla, San Francisco, via Victoria; steamer British Columbia, Vancouver; steamer Montana, San Francisco, via Vancouver; steamer Yukon, Southeastern and Southwestern Alaska. Sailed: Steamer Governor, San Diego, via San Francisco; steamer City of Seattle, Skagway; steamer Mexican, Tacoma; steamer Delhi, Southeastern Alaska; steamer Portland, Tacoma; steamer Thomas L. Ward, San Francisco, via Puget Sound ports; steamer Yukon, Tacoma; steamer Bertha, Southeastern Alaska; steamer Shina Yak, Eagle Harbor; steamer Frankmont, Tacoma; steamer Bona, Port San Luis; steamer Prince Albert, Prince Rupert; steamer City of Puebla, Puget Sound ports.

## LIGHTHOUSE CHILDREN TO HAVE EDUCATION

The necessity for taking care of the children who by the nature of their parents' vocation in the lighthouse service of the Dominion, cannot have the same educational facilities as others, has led to the inauguration of a course of travelling instruction for lighthouse children. The government proposes to establish a similar system to that adopted by Trinity House for the British lighthouses. A series of lighthouses will be grouped and a travelling instructor sent to visit them, the teacher increasing the difficulties of the tasks as the children's minds have been prepared by instruction.

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## NORTHERN CRUISES BEGIN NEXT MONTH

Spokane Inaugurates Service on June 18 to Alaskan Glaciers

The Alaska cruises of the Spokane, the fine steamer of the Pacific Coast Company, will be inaugurated on June 18, when the first sailing from Seattle will commence. There will be as usual five commentaries, and the steamer is assured of maximum bookings on each occasion.

The favorite trip by the inland passage, viewing the beautiful Taku and Davidson glaciers, the former being over 200 feet high and a mile wide, is particularly attractive to the numerous visitors from New England and the eastern cities who come across a continent to see the wonders of the lands of the totem.

The famous Muir glacier is also one of the attractions, and has been regularly visited except for a few years from 1899, when the glacier was shattered by an earthquake, which made the Glacier Bay impassable with broken ice till 1907. In August of that year the visits were resumed. Generally a few local people join the trips, but there is too much demand on the space for all those who care to accompany the eastern tourists to be able to find room at this port, the last calling place for the North.

A society exists to keep together those who have made the tour by this line to the ice fields.

## FIT HUGE STERN-POST TO THE ROBERT DOLLAR

Seattle, May 17.—For the installation of the largest stern post ever forced for a vessel on this coast, the liner Robert Dollar of the Robert Dollar Steamship Company fleet, was lifted in drydock No. 1 of the Seattle Construction & Drydock Company yesterday.

Seattle shipping men will watch with interest the fitting of the huge twenty-ton piece of steel. The work will require the largest floating derricks of the drydock company's yards, and the most skillful workmen. When the stern frame is in place a new thirteen-ton cast steel rudder will be fitted to the vessel, a feat almost as difficult as the installation of the frame.

Since March 15, when the Dollar was towed into Seattle harbor, disabled by striking the Columbia river bar, boulder for China, the great frame and rudder have been under construction in the Seattle yard. Several times it has been necessary to raise the liner in drydock for measurement and to attend to other details of the work. Officials of the drydock company hope to have the Dollar ready for commission again by May 25.

The 1,500,000 feet of lumber and 5,000 tons of wheat taken from the disabled liner on her arrival, here are now being loaded by the British freighter Volument, which was chartered to carry the Dollar's cargo to the Orient. The Dollar probably will load a cargo on the Sound for ports in China on completion of her repairs.

## TIDE TABLE

Victoria, May, 1913.									
Date.	Time of High Tide	Time of Low Tide	Time of High Tide	Time of Low Tide	Time of High Tide	Time of Low Tide	Time of High Tide	Time of Low Tide	Time of High Tide
1	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
2	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
3	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
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15	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
16	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
17	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
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19	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
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23	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
24	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
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29	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
30	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
31	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.	1:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.

## SEATTLE MARU WILL ARRIVE EARLY

Osaka Boat Will Berth at Early Hour; Has Valuable Silk Cargo

The local agents of the Osaka Shosen Kaisha line are informed that the Seattle Maru will reach quarantine to-morrow, and that the necessary pratique will be granted at daybreak. The operator at Esteyan picked her up at 3.40 p. m. last evening, when Captain Salto gave her position as 4.24 N., 131 W. She was two days late in leaving Yokohama, hence the delay behind schedule.

She has a valuable cargo of silk, and she has about 350 tons of merchandise for Victoria, and some 1,800 for the Sound. There are 138 passengers for this port, including three first class for Victoria.

The Yokohama Maru, of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha was also spoken at the same station, her position at 2.45 a. m. being 52.55 N. and 154.30 W. She is due on Wednesday next. She is bringing over 500 tons of cargo for this port, and 187 passengers, of whom 121 are Chinese.

## WIRELESS REPORTS

May 17, 8 a. m.  
Point Grey.—Cloudy; calm; 30.01; 50; sea smooth. In, S. S. Cheloshin, 7.40 p. m.

Cape Lazo.—Clear; calm; 30.00; 45; sea smooth. Spoke, 1 a. m., S. S. Humboldt, through Seymour Narrows, northbound.

Tatoosh.—Part cloudy; N. W., 14 miles; 30.00; 55; sea smooth. Out, S. S. Thomas L. Ward, 5.30 a. m. In, S. S. Wasp, 6.50 a. m.; out, S. S. Nishiyoh, 8 a. m.

Pachena.—Cloudy; N. light; 29.78; light swell.

Estevan.—Cloudy; 29.78; 42; sea smooth. Spoke, 8.40 p. m., S. S. Seattle Maru, 11 p. m., position 48.24 N., 131.00 W.; 1.44 a. m., S. S. Yokohama Maru, 8 p. m., position 50.55 N., 154.30 W.

Triangle.—Overcast; N. W., strong; 29.43; 44; sea moderate. Spoke, S. S. Prince George, 11.05 p. m., Queen Charlotte Sound, southbound; S. S. Camouan, 11.15 p. m., leaving River's Inlet, In, S. S. Princess Beatrice, left River's Inlet 2.55 a. m., southbound.

Ikeda.—Cloudy; N. E., strong; 29.4; 40; sea moderate.

Prince Rupert.—Overcast; S. E.; 30.10; 55; sea smooth. Spoke, S. S. Princess May, 8.50 p. m., left Hollin Cannery 8.50 p. m., southbound. In, S. S. Princess Mary, 12.45 a. m.; out again 2.40 a. m.

Dead Tree Point.—Overcast; calm; sea smooth.

Alert Bay.—Raining; S. E., light; 29.92; 50; sea smooth.

Noon.

Point Grey.—Foggy; N. W.; 31.90; 60. In, S. S. British Columbia, 10.20 a. m.; in, S. S. City of Puebla, 11.55 a. m.; Cape Lazo.—Clear; N. W.; 29.92; 57. Spoke, S. S. Prince George, left Seymour Narrows 11 a. m., southbound.

Tatoosh.—Part cloudy; N. E., 13 miles; 29.94; 50; sea smooth.

Pachena.—Clear; calm; 29.33; sea smooth.

Estevan.—Clear; calm; 29.77; 54; sea smooth.

Triangle.—Misty; N. W., strong; 29.95; 50. In, 11 p. m., S. S. Princess Beatrice; out again at 11.30 a. m.

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## SINGLE TAX APOSTLE EXPOUNDS DOCTRINE

John Z. White, of Chicago,  
Points Out the Error of  
Present System

## TAXING INDUSTRIES CREATES HIGH PRICES

Revenue Should Be Derived  
From Unimproved Lands He  
Declares

Another of the ever-increasing number of eloquent champions of single tax addressed a meeting at the First Congregational church hall last evening in the person of John Z. White, of Chicago. Rev. J. G. Inkster presided in the chair, and the speaker's argument was followed with great interest by his audience.

In his opening remarks the speaker referred to Henry George, the father of the single tax movement, who had expressed the maxim that it was impossible for mankind to exist apart from land. In discussing the revenue clauses of the constitution of the United States, the speaker pointed out that Alexander Hamilton had repeated the assertion that to raise a revenue it was necessary to tax land or industry. With this Mr. White, following the precepts of Henry George, disagreed. To defray the expense of public administration there must be provided a public revenue. To achieve this end either the value of the land or the value of the products must be taxed.

Both might be taxed, but the tax on one or the other was compulsory because there was nothing else to tax. What then was the difference between taxing the value of land and taxing the value of products? Was it not obvious that the less the land was taxed the easier it would be to hold it vacant. And the easier it was to hold land vacant, the more of it would be held vacant, and the more land held in this manner the less would be the area occupied by the people, and the smaller the area occupied by a given number of people, the more intense would be the demand for land, and consequently the higher the value of land.

Cause of High Rentals.  
The fact demonstrated by this argument was that low taxes on land value caused much land to be held vacant and created high rents on the portions used. A third reason stated was that if land values were taxed less, the pro-

ducts must be taxed more in order to provide sufficient revenue. Then taxes on products, machinery, vehicles, clothing, food, etc., had to be added to the price at which such articles were sold, as otherwise the producer would have to stop producing. The effect of a tax of ten dollars on each apple tree in British Columbia would result in the cutting down of most of the apple trees in the province, as apples could be procured from other sources, and production here would cease. If building material was taxed, then the building erected by the use of that material was also taxed every year. So the builder, following the same line of argument, must either add the tax to the price at which the building is sold or leased, or he must stop building.

It could be seen then, explained Mr. White, that taxes on products had the effect of increasing the price of products and of checking production. Industry and Labor.  
Any extension of industry would cause a greater demand for labor, with the result that wages would be increased, for the more things that were produced, the more men must be employed to produce them, and the more men employed the fewer would be idle. It was the number of idle men that determined at what point an unnatural competition should fix wages.

Vacant Lots Useless.  
Mr. White, who referred to the fact that he himself held property in Chicago, asked his hearers of what service to the community a vacant lot could be. A merchant, he said, could not sell goods to a vacant lot, and no laborer could get wages from a vacant lot. Neither could the farmer sell his produce to vacant lots, and to check city growth by unwise taxes was merely limiting the farmers' natural market. Low taxes on land value stimulated speculation in land, and were the cause of artificially high rentals. At the same time low taxes on land values made it necessary to place high taxes on products, this in turn making the prices of products high—this explaining the high cost of living.

Reversing the process and removing taxes from products, while at the same time increasing taxes on land values, would reduce the cost of living. By removing the taxes from personality and improvements and raising the rate on land to make up for the deficit, it was quite obvious that a part of this tax now falling on personality and improvements would fall on the vacant land, and that the tax on the improved part of the land would decrease.

Replies to Questions.  
At the close of his address, Mr. White asked for questions, and in reply to a question as to whether the economic conditions in Australia and New Zealand were better than in Canada and the United States, stated that he knew that during the last few years, owing to the taxing of industry in Spokane, some thousands of people had left that city and taken up their residence in Canada, where industries were not so heavily taxed.

The questioner queried the soundness of the explanation, asking if the generous advertising of the Develop-

ment League might not have been responsible for the coming of so many people to Victoria, for example, rather than the singular advantages arising from a modified application of single tax principals.

In reply to a question as to whether taxing of land would not give it into municipal ownership, Mr. White said the selling value of land could not be affected by taxation. He also expounded the manner in which Lloyd George in England was gradually introducing the single tax principles in that country, emphasizing the thought that capital must continually raise wages in order to get labor.

Single Tax in Ontario.  
In introducing the speaker at the beginning of the meeting, Mr. Inkster told the story of the effect of his having given a copy of Henry George's life to a prominent Conservative newspaper proprietor, who was afterwards instrumental in forming the Single Tax League which finally succeeded in getting all the newspapers in Ontario pledged to single tax. Twice a bill had been presented to the legislature of that province asking for local option and single tax. Twice this had been refused, but the Liberal party had adopted single tax as one of the planks in their platform in Ontario, and he hoped, said the speaker, to see it carried yet.

The meeting concluded with a vote of thanks to the speaker, the chairman and the pastor of the Congregational church for lending the hall.  
Mr. White will address a gathering in the Victoria theatre this evening on "The Communal Form of Government," when Hon. Dr. Young will preside as chairman.

## Aunt Sally's Advice to Beauty Seekers

Lydia says: "I've tried most everything for my freckles, but can't lose them. What do you suggest?" See answer to "Stella." The treatment suggested I've never known to fail in any case of freckles or other cutaneous blemish.

P. J. K. asks: "Is there anything better than massage to remove wrinkles?" Too much massaging may aggravate a wrinkled condition, tending to soften and loosen the tissue. I advise bathing the face in an astringent lotion made by dissolving an ounce of powdered sorbolite in a half pint witch hazel. This is remarkably effective.

Stella writes: "My complexion is horrible muddy. What shall I do for it?" Get an ounce of mercurized wax at your druggist's. Apply this nightly like you'd use cold cream, washing it off mornings. This will cause the offensive cuticle gradually to make way, by a process of gentle absorption, for the clear, velvety, healthy-hued skin underneath.—Woman's Realm.

We office notices to keep trespassers off will be of no use in the air. Lord Montague of Seacliffe.

## FORMER BRITISH M. P. ON VISIT TO CITY

Sir Savile Crossley Arrives  
From Orient Accompanied  
by Family Party

At the Empress hotel are Sir Savile Crossley, Bart., Lady Crossley, and the Misses Crossley, who debarked from the Empress of Japan on her arrival from the Orient this morning.

Sir Savile told a Times representative that he had recently been in China and Japan on a visit and would return with the party to London shortly by the Canadian route.

He did not wish to discuss British politics, although a former British M. P., but intimated that his interest in politics could be gauged from the position he still held in the National Unionist Association, as a member of the executive.

He was asked how, in his opinion, conditions were settling down in China, and expressed the opinion that from what he gathered, President Yuan Shih Kai would have some difficulty in keeping the north and south influences in the republic working in harmony together. The country badly needed money to develop its resources and to improve the opportunities for employment in the vast area. China seemed to be a long way yet from reaching the position of a settled political condition.

The visiting baronet was M. P. for Suffolk divisions from 1882 to 1890, and for Halifax from 1902 to 1906. For the last few years of the Balfour ministry he was paymaster-general for the forces. He has made an unsuccessful attempt to re-enter parliament once since then. Sir Savile was an Imperial Yeomanry captain in the South African war and was promoted to the rank of lieutenant-colonel for his services.



To the Editor:—Our former respected bishop of Columbia is now distant from us, but tell it not in Victoria, he is no longer dear to the memory of the Colonist. When we find a true friend (such as the ex-bishop has been to the Colonist) we are instructed to grapple him to our hearts with "hooks of steel." But your contemporary's hooks seem to be of some brittle material—sugarstick probably.  
—GROUCHER.

May 15.

## BOSTONIANS DO NOT COME FROM BOSTON

Seattle is Juveniles' Headquarters  
and Their Manager is  
a Former Victoria Lady

"We do not call ourselves the Bostonians because we come from Boston," declared Mrs. E. Laing, manager of the unique comic opera company known as the Juvenile Bostonians, which played at the Victoria theatre Thursday and Friday. "Our headquarters are in Seattle, as a matter of fact. We had the name Bostonians handed down to us by the original Bostonians, whom all old-time theatrical people remember. It is about ten years ago since they disbanded, however, and the significance of the name is pretty well gone."

Mrs. Laing is styled "manager" in the company's literature but the name that every one of the twenty little girls call her more fittingly describes her—"Mother." Nowhere is this better known than in Victoria, where Mrs. Laing resided for many years in days gone by. Her son, B. E. Laing, has been recognized on the streets several times from his striking resemblance to his late father, formerly a well known business man of this city.

Mrs. Laing's little family occupied a solid suite of rooms on the second floor of the Dominion hotel, and there yesterday morning the governess and musical instructor gave lessons to a most orderly little class varying in age from 13 to 20, a class that one would never dream contained even one of those gaily-gowned, midnight-supper-eating sirens known as musical comedy actresses.

"There are no after-theatre diners with this crowd," said Mrs. Laing emphatically. "I have to do the duty of twenty mothers—kiddies and



MRS. E. LAING.

It's a big job. They never go out without a chaperone and their education is carried on just as carefully as if they were at home. The little girls' studies are directed by the governess and the older girls' reading is also carefully supervised."

The training given them is of the most careful kind can not be doubted from a casual observation of their behavior about the hotel where they are staying. They possess all the proper exuberance of spirits that should be found in children of their age, but never trespass beyond the limits of the best behaved little ones who never strayed beyond the garden fence.

"Our company has an interesting little history," Mrs. Laing explained. "I began it as a school in Seattle but my classes grew so large I couldn't handle them. I finally decided to pick out a number of the best ones and take them down to Portland for a performance. I had no trouble in getting booked for eight weeks. At the end of that time we were in Ogden, Utah, and we have been going ever since. My first chorus was composed of little tots of seven and eight at that time, and some of them are with me now. Faisle Henry has been with me for eleven years, and she hasn't got beyond twenty yet, which is my age limit."

"I used to direct an amateur operatic company in Victoria when I lived here, and one of my companies gave the first performance that was ever given in the A. O. U. W. hall, now the Princess theatre."

"What becomes of your girls when they grow too old?" Mrs. Laing was asked. "Do they graduate into adult companies?"

"Most of them stay with me until they are old enough to get married, and then they go right home and take up family life. Only two of my pupils have gone into vaudeville."

This fact is a striking compliment to the carefulness of the personal training given the children who travel with Mrs. Laing. Miss O'Neil, one of the elder members of the company, confided that the members of the company all aspired to be big Broadway stars now, but that things looked differently when the right boy came along during the summer-off season. She thought the training for the lecturers' field was much superior in such a company as the Bostonians, that which would be acquired in a chorus.

The present tour began at Port Arthur, Ont., and continued for eight weeks all across Canada to Victoria. From here the juveniles go to Jannamo and Prince Rupert right up to Dawson and Fairbanks and other places in Alaska and the Yukon.

After a ten weeks' rest this summer they again take the road and go to Honolulu and China and Japan. If there is education in travel, working in a theatrical company is not causing these little girls to be neglected.

"We do have a great time, all the time, don't we, mother?" asked Dottie, the baby of the company, and not only mother, but the other girls gathered around answered, "We surely do."

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# SPORTING NEWS

## AUSTRALIAN TOURISTS ARRIVE HERE ON MAY 27 TO BEGIN TOUR

### Manager Benjamin Comes to the City to Complete Arrangements for the Tour

W. Carkeek, wicket keeper of the 1912 Australian eleven, who could not join the 1913 tour.

"It will take \$25,000 to finance the tour of the Australian cricketers through Canada and the United States, and when the cricket enthusiasts of Victoria realize this, they will then understand why the Australians demanded a guarantee of \$2,000 for a two day match in the capital," stated G. Nicholson, a former cricketer from the Antipodes in an interview with the Times yesterday afternoon. The Australians will arrive here on May 27 on board the Niagara, and will remain here for three days, meeting a picked British Columbia eleven before going East to the Pacific cities, where they have several matches booked. The Australians will also play at Toronto, Winnipeg, Montreal and possibly Ottawa. They will also play at New York, Chicago and many other American cities, returning to Australia in October.

If it is possible to secure a good pitch at Oak Bay, the match will be played on those grounds, and preparations are now being made to have the field in shape for the Australians. The team that will tour the Dominion includes three members of the eleven that played

ed here last summer, the trio being Sid Emery, who batted a century at the University grounds, Messrs. Mayne and Whitty. The famous Vic Trumper will also play here, and also McCartney, Bardley, Crawford, Collins, Campbell, Mailey and Arnold. R. B. Benjamin, who is managing the tour, arrived in the Capital to-day, and will await the arrival of the team. Mr. Nicholson and other Australians have arranged to entertain the visitors while here, and will banquet the team at the Camosun Club. Other dinners are being arranged for.

That the Australians are favoring Victoria in the matter of expenses will be seen from the entire receipts which were taken in at the gate last year, the visitors getting about \$500, or less than their expenses.

Mr. Benjamin said, that while "he understood that people in Canada and the United States—that is the average followers of popular sport—seem to think that cricket is a slow game, he would recommend some of the local baseball enthusiasts to watch the Australians play, for he said: "We have fielders that outclass any baseball fielders in America."

He also claims to have six of the best cricket players in the world, they being Trumper, Bardley, McCartney, Crawford, Mayne and Whitty.

"Bardley," he says, "is the only man who went over a century during every innings of a test match."

It is the first time that an A1 team has toured America during the cricket season, and, beginning at Victoria, they expect to play about thirty matches.

## BEES FAILED TO HOLD EARLY LEAD

### Dropped Game Yesterday to Portland; Seattle and Tacoma Win

The Bees by yesterday's defeat are now tied with Spokane for the cellar championship. The Pippins took a liking to Smith's offerings in the fourth and clouted the ball all over the lot, tying the early lead Victoria had established in the first and second innings. Manager Mike in this season thought it was about time Slim was replaced, and Alberta, the new twirler, took the mound, but there was no stopping the Pippins and they secured five runs off his delivery in the sixth, the score being 9-4. Alberta tightened up, as did Pitcher Stanley, but not when his meant runs, while on the other hand Nick's squad gathered in 11 runs off him in the seventh, the score being 10-4. Alberta tightened up, as did Pitcher Stanley, but not when his meant runs, while on the other hand Nick's squad gathered in 11 runs off him in the seventh, the score being 10-4.

Beavers Lose Again. Dell's pitching was too much for Brown's squad of sluggers and Seattle walked off with the game. Dell struck out 16 of the opposing batters, allowed but seven hits and walked two men. When his meant runs the Beaver's were helpless.

Vancouver gained an early lead of two runs in the first but Dell stiffened up and had the Beaver batters swinging like a gate. Schmutz pitched the first eight innings for Vancouver. He was relieved by Ingersoll in the ninth, who walked two men, and Killian lifted the ball over the fence, winning the game for Seattle.

Tacoma Keeps Climbing. Kurfess was a mystery to Spokane, while the Tigers found Cadreau easy, and Tacoma walked off with the game by the score of 7-4. Cadreau was knocked off the rubber in the second innings and Meltzer, who relieved him, pitched nice ball throughout the remainder of the game.

How We Stand

Team	W	L	Pct	Win	Loss
Seattle	20	9	.688	700	567
Vancouver	15	10	.615	420	553
Tacoma	15	10	.604	360	469
Portland	11	16	.423	444	497
Victoria	12	18	.400	419	387
Spokane	12	18	.400	419	387

Printer's to Practice.

The Printers' baseball team will hold a practice at Beacon Hill to-morrow morning. All typesetters interested in baseball are invited to turn out.

## HOLIDAY BOUT



JOE BAYLEY. Latest picture of the Canadian lightweight champion, who meets Ernie Barrieau on Victoria Day.

## BETTING EVENS BARRIEU WINS

### Vancouver Backers Taking a Chance; Champion Also Looks Good

Though the odds are at even, Ernie Barrieau will beat Joe Bayley when the pair hook up in the title contest for the lightweight championship of the Dominion a week from to-day at Brighouse, the experts are figuring it out that the champion will win inside the limit. Vancouver fight fans are very enthusiastic over Barrieau's chances and even Jimmie Britt has gone on record as saying that Barrieau is one of the best boys he ever saw, yet the backers of Champion Bayley are snapping up all the money offered that the Victoria youth brings home for the big end of the purse. The arena for the bout will be completed in a day or so and the fight promises to be the biggest static event ever staged on the coast.

Many Aspirants. Bayley's hands, which have been giving him so much trouble in his recent bouts, are now better and he is hitting harder than ever. The champion is confident he can repeat the victories that he gained in the amateur ranks over Barrieau. Ray Campbell and a host of other challengers will be at the ringside when the principals are called to the centre next Saturday night by Referee Jimmie Hewitt, and the chances are that Bayley will accept them all, after he has disposed of Ernie Barrieau.

Morris Condon, manager of Bayley, announces that he will leave with the champion on Saturday evening. Hume McDonald is arranging for training quarters in Vancouver for the champion.

Barrieau right now looks to be in the pink of condition. He is down close to the weight, and appears stronger than at any time in his boxing career. The fans who figure that Barrieau, in making 125 pounds, will weaken himself, will figure incorrectly.

Prices for the Victoria Day bout have been fixed at \$5 and \$3 for reserved seats and \$2 for general admission. The seats will be placed on sale Saturday.

Digger Stanley and Eddie Morgan will battle for the British bantam championship before the National Sporting Club, London, on June 4. The bout is for the Lonsdale belt and \$100 aside.

## VAISE MAKES GOOD SHOWING AGAINST RITCHIE

Seattle, May 17.—"Frenchy" Vaise, the local lightweight, went two fast rounds with Willie Ritchie last night at the Empress theatre. Ritchie toyed with his opponent all through, and had him under his control all the time. However, Vaise showed as well as any opponent of the champion yet in Seattle. He squared up in a real fighting fashion, and boxed a pretty exhibition.

To-day and to-morrow Ritchie will meet as many as eight local boys. Campbell will go on with him again and possibly Vaise. Buster O'Neill, the clever little S. A. C. boxer will also be given a chance to show his stuff.

## CHAMPIONS LIKE 135-LB. LIMIT

### Ritchie and Nolan Favor International Lightweight Scale

"To my way of thinking 135 pounds or 133 at 3 o'clock the day of the contest is the correct weight for an international scale," remarked Billy Nolan, manager of Willie Ritchie, the champion, while discussing the matter in Milwaukee.

"There never has been an international scale of weights," continued Nolan, "although it would be a good thing for the game if such a scale were established. Of course the American weight has been set at 133 ringside, in fact, England is the home of all boxing. It seems that 135 pounds, weigh in at 2 or 3 o'clock, is the recognized weight in most of the countries, except Australia, where the lightweight limit is 140 ringside.

"As to Packer McFarland meeting Ritchie for the title, why there seems to be no chance. Small Thiry, manager for McFarland, has admitted that Packer cannot make 135 ringside, let alone 133. We offered to let him scale 135 ringside, which is two pounds above the limit, but he wanted 135 at 3 or 4 o'clock, which would let him enter the ring at about 132 to 140. He has admitted that he is no longer a lightweight so why should he bother Ritchie about a match?"

## MANY ENTRIES.

Local Thoroughbreds to Feature Polo Club Gymkhana.

Entries are coming in fast for the race meet and gymkhana which the Victoria Polo Club will hold on Victoria Day. The afternoon events will include a number of flat races and the programme will be carried out on the Willows track. The Polo Club has rented the horse show building for the evening's card, which includes a grand challenge jumping contest in which the best hurdlers on the island will compete.

In the jumping competition for the evening event there are already entered over 15 horses, including Capt. Clark's Molly, Alex. Mackenzie's Lady M. Dr. Richards' Kitimat, Mr. McAvoy's Indian Maid, Mr. Henderson's Warwick, Lily, Mr. Cox's Mascot, Mr. D. Spencer's Flash, and many others.

In the Balclava Melee it is hoped to be able to have a team from the Baracks, James Bay Athletic Association, the Navy, and many others.

Those wanting to reserve boxes should notify the secretary, room 3, Brown block.

## WEILER BROS. DEFEATED.

Weiler Bros. crack baseball team were defeated by Prior's Ploughmen in a strenuous ball game at Beacon Hill park last night, the score being 10 to 8.

## OUR BASEBALL MOGUL



Manager of the Bees, who is one of the hardest hitting outfielders in the league. Lynch will have the team running one, two, just as soon as his twirlers get going right, for the club is batting and fielding second in the league averages.



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## DELL'S GRAND TWIRLING TOO MUCH FOR VANCOUVER

Team	A	B	R	H	P	O	A	E
Shaw, S. B.	4	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
Null, S. B.	2	0	0	1	4	0	0	0
Wilson, R. L.	4	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
Cadman, C.	3	1	2	1	4	0	0	0
Jackson, I. B.	2	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
Strat, I. F.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Killian, C. F.	4	0	2	0	1	0	0	0
Raymond, S. A.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brown, S. A.	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0
Dell, P.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	4	9	7	13	2	0	0

Batted for Schmutz in ninth. None out when winning run scored. Score by innings—

Seattle	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	4
Vancouver	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0

Summary: Two-base hits—Killian (2), Wilson. Home run—Frisk. Sacrifice hits—Null, Cadman. Sacrifice fly—Jackson. Stolen bases—Cadman, Bennett (2), Schmutz. Struck out—By Dell, 16; by Schmutz, 4. Bases on balls—Off Dell, 2; off Schmutz, 1; off Ingersoll, 2. Wild pitch—Schmutz. Double play—Bennett to Schmutz to Brinker. Pitchers' summary—3 hits and 3 runs off Schmutz in 8 innings; 1 hit and 1 run off Ingersoll in 1 inning. Charge defeat to Ingersoll. Time—2 hours. Umpire—Toman.

## RECORD CROWD TO GIVE WELCOME TO YANKEE LEADER

Chicago, May 17.—With fair weather it was predicted that a record-breaking crowd would be at the American League baseball park this afternoon to witness the ceremonies of Frank Chance Day. There were seats for 42,000 persons. The largest paid attendance in the history of baseball is \$3,281 at the Polo grounds at New York on the opening day of the world's series in 1911.

The enthusiasm of local baseball followers led to the expectation that the greatest crowd which ever saw a game would welcome Chance, manager of the New York Americans and former leader of the Chicago Nationals.

## POLO TEAM ARRIVES.

The English polo team that is to meet the American team in a series of matches for the international trophy at Meadowbrook, Long Island, in June, arrived yesterday evening on board the steamer Oceanic. Its members are Captain R. C. Ritzon, Leslie St. George Cheape, A. Noel Edwards and Vivian Lockett.

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Million, C. F.	4	0	1	2	0	0	0	0
Altman, S. A.	3	0	0	4	2	0	0	0
Pappe, I. F.	3	0	1	2	1	0	0	0
McCart, I. F.	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Johnson, R. F.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yohs, S. B.	3	0	1	2	4	0	0	0
Morse, S. B.	4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Auer, C.	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Cadreau, P.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Melter, P.	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	31	3	4	14	14	1	0	0

## YACHT CLUB MEET.

An extraordinary general meeting of the Royal Yacht Club was held yesterday evening at which the constitution was reconstructed along the lines of that under which the Vancouver Club is run, and the annual membership rate was raised from \$7.50 to \$12. This increase in fees was felt to be justified owing to the removal of the club to its splendid new quarters at Cadboro Bay.

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## KICKS ON GRIFFIN.

Willard Objects to Club Referee For Smith Bout.

San Francisco, May 17.—Managers for Jess Willard and Gus Bailey Smith, who fight twenty rounds next Tuesday night, were still deadlocked to-day on the selection of a referee. Tom Jones for Willard refuses to consider Jim Griffin, the official referee of the club. In three consecutive fights Griffin gave decisions which met with general satisfaction but cost Jones a tidy sum. On the first decision Ad. Wolgast lost the lightweight championship. On the second he got a draw with Tommy Murphy. In a return match Murphy won the decision after twenty fast rounds.

# SPORTING NEWS

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## GIANTS AND WHITE SOX WILL TOUR NORTHWESTERN CIRCUIT

Major Leaguers Booked to Play in Capital; Lamb Was a Club Owner

If suitable arrangements can be made the New York Giants and Chicago White Sox will play an exhibition game at Victoria this fall on their way to the Orient. McGraw and Comiskey will head the clubs on their invasion of the East, and they have wired President Dugdale, of the Seattle ball club, asking for dates to play at the Sound City late in October. They have also agreed to play in every

city on the Northwestern circuit, which means that they will not overlook Victoria in their list of exhibition fixtures before sailing from Vancouver. The big leaguers will stage their match at the Royal Athletic grounds, though the accommodation will have to be increased to handle such a crowd as will view the Giants and White Sox in action. The teams are arranging for two games in Seattle and Victoria will make a strong bid to have one of the games played here.

Lamb, the nifty looking third baseman of the Victoria Bees, was a magnate last year. No joke. He owned a club in the Kansas State League, but decided he would rather play the pastime as one of the hired help, and signed with President Wattet.

## REMARKED ON THE SIDE

This Time It Was the Fault of the Twirlers.

Thirteen hits failed to beat Portland yesterday and once again the Bees appear to be in a slump, due to bad pitching more than anything else. When a club can bang out thirteen safe bingles, and give their club a margin of four runs in the first two innings, there is surely something wrong with the aforesaid heavers. Slim Smith went along nicely for a couple of innings yesterday against the Pippins and then blew higher than the proverbial kite. Sacramento Alberts proved little better and the Pippins had a merry time running round the bases. It surely must have been a miserable session for Mike and his cohorts, but little blame can be attached to anyone else but the pitchers. This bunch of twirlers that we have drawing down, good iron men, are about the best little gang of in and outers that we have ever seen. They speed 'em over like champions one day and the next they greatly resemble the greenest bushers. Perhaps a little jerking up would help some.

Seattle Will Give the Beavers a Run

Just for the present the Tillikums and the Vancouver club are having a nice little battle all of their own, to see who will retain the leadership in the race for the Jones bunting. Tealey Raymond's champions appear to have the edge on the Terminal City squad and by their win yesterday, they have taken an even firmer hold on the top rung. That Seattle club is about the best balanced outfit in the league, combining as it does good pitching, base running, hitting and fielding. Vancouver boasts of a grand aggregation of willow wipers, but Brown's twirling staff is not such an array of slab artists to go into raptures over. Dell's performance of breezing sixteen of the slugs will go down as a league record, though our own Dutch Kautleher equalled this mark against that other wallowing bunch of pirates, the colored Giants. Tacoma is now well entrenched in third place, with Spokane and Victoria in the cellar. However, we're getting used to that lofty position.

Johnson is Not the Only Record-Breaker.

Even though Big Six Mathewson has been the mainstay of the Giants for the past ten years, the veteran is right now going after a record for control that will take the younger twirlers a long time to equal. Walter Johnson's long string of shutouts was finally broken by the St. Louis club, after he had hung up fifty-six scoreless innings, but Mathewson is now after the control mark and it looks as if he will hang up a nice mark to shoot at in years to come. Mathewson has not yet lost a game this year and has passed but two men. Not another twirler in the majors ever has or ever will compete with the Great Christopher when it comes to finding the plate and McGraw's one best bet appears better than ever this year. He and Johnson are the only veterans to maintain their reputations this year, though a number of newcomers are cutting wide swaths in the majors, including Bert Whaling, Falkenberg and Indian Johnson.

Bayley Logical Favorite on the Holiday.

Even though there are bets being registered at events on the outcome of the Bayley-Barrieau fight, the past records of the two boys show that the champion is at least a 5 to 4 choice. Bayley has beaten Barrieau and has impressed wonderfully since his entry into the pro ranks. More than that, he has fought more than the Vancouver boy and has brushed up against better opponents and never met defeat, while Barrieau lost a decision to Charlie Reiley, whom Bayley beat to a pulp at Stevenson and was knocked out in seven rounds by Kid Scaler. This coming fight between Freddie Walsh and Ray Campbell, at Stevenson promises to be a rattling good battle, with the winner in line for a bout with Bayley. From the east comes word that Billy Hitchin, of the Riverside Athletic Club, Canadian 125-pound boxing champion, who won the U. S. title at the same weight, bids fair to emulate John L. Scholtes, of Toronto, who, after winning the Canadian and United States titles, went to England and clinched the world's title. Hitchin is only 19 years old, and is a very aggressive boxer.

## PORTLAND'S HITS WERE MORE TIMELY BEES AGAIN LOSE

Victoria	A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Feltz, I. F.	4 1 2 0 0 0
Rawlings, S. A.	5 1 2 2 1 0
Brooks, I. B.	5 1 2 14 1 0
Meek, C.	5 0 2 2 0 0
Swain, D. B.	2 0 1 0 0 0
Lynch, C. F.	4 0 3 2 0 0
McKiloh, F. E.	4 0 3 1 0 0
Lamb, D. B.	4 0 0 0 0 0
Smith, P.	2 0 0 0 1 0
Williams, C.	2 0 0 0 0 0
Stanley, P.	2 0 0 0 0 0
Totals	38 4 13 24 16 2

Portland—A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.  
Baneroff, S. A. 5 1 2 4 3 0  
Gulmi, D. B. 5 1 1 1 5 1  
Cries, R. F. 5 1 2 1 0 0  
Callahan, I. F. 4 1 1 1 0 0  
Speas, I. B. 3 1 2 1 0 0  
Helmman, C. F. 4 1 1 1 0 0  
Williams, C. 3 1 1 1 0 0  
Coltrin, S. B. 2 2 1 1 1 0  
Stanley, P. 4 0 0 0 4 0  
Totals 35 9 11 36 14 1

Score by innings—  
Victoria 3 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0  
Portland 0 0 0 4 0 5 0 0 0 0

Summary: Struck out—By Stanley, 6; by Smith, 1; by Alberts, 1. Bases on balls—Stanley, 1; Smith, 4; Alberts, 2. Two-base hits—Rawlings, Speas, Helmman, Baneroff. Double plays—Stanley to Baneroff to Speas. Sacrifice hit—Speas. Stolen bases—Helmman, Coltrin, Callahan. Hit by pitcher—Swain. Innings pitched—By Smith 3, runs 2, hits 3; taken out in the fourth with man on first and none out. Charge defeat to Alberts. Time—1:45. Umpire—Casey.

## OLD COUNTRY CRICKET.

London, May 17.—Derbyshire beat Hampshire at Southampton by eight wickets, the scores were:  
Hampshire—First innings, 228; second innings, 159; total, 387.  
Derbyshire—First innings, 262; second innings, 129 for two wickets; total, 391.  
Surrey beat Northampton by five wickets, the former making 270 in the second innings for five wickets, Hobbs playing a splendid innings for 136. The scores:  
Northampton—First innings, 140; second innings, 202; total, 342.  
Surrey—First innings, 123; second innings, 270 for five wickets; total, 393.  
In the Warwickshire-Leicestershire match the former compiled 333 for seven wickets in their second innings at which stage they declared, allowing Leicestershire to bat. They however, did not fare as well as Warwickshire and lost three wickets for 56 runs. Yorkshire in their second innings against Gloucestershire, also did well, their total when they declared was 369 for five wickets. Gloucestershire on going to bat for their second innings had made 30 for one wicket at noon. Sussex made 152 for two wickets in their second innings against Cambridge and still require 16 to win.

## COOMBS ABOUT THROUGH.

Philadelphia, Pa., May 17.—"Jack" Coombs, one of the star pitchers of the Philadelphia Athletics, may not be able to get into the game again this season. He became seriously ill about a month ago and is far from well, though his physicians claim to-day he has passed the crisis. Coombs pitched in the opening contest at Boston, but did not finish the game. He was sent home threatened with pneumonia. Coombs never fully recovered from his injury in the world's series in New York in 1911. On the return from the training this spring the Athletics were held up by floods and Coombs ate some bad food which resulted in a mild form of ptomaine poisoning. On top of this he contracted a severe cold which caused him to collapse.

Half the quarrels between nations are due not to deliberate ill-will or to conscious ambition, or to the passion for revenge. They are due to misunderstandings. —Mr. Asquith.

## STUDENTS' SPORTS A MARKED SUCCESS

High School Athletes Attract Many at Oak Bay; Cutler Stars

Splendid weather favored the athletic day of the High school students at Oak Bay yesterday afternoon, the events proving both exciting and interesting. The competition was very keen throughout the entire programme. The attendance included many fond parents, and the youngsters performed exceedingly well. The surprise of the day was Cutler, a small youth who cleaned up the sprints and quarter-miles in the senior class, his time in all the races being very good. His double furlong gallop was the feature of the day, Cutler winning from McCallum by about six inches in the fast time of 55 1-5 seconds. Another youthful sprinting prodigy in McIntyre carried off the sprint sprints, while the girls also had their innings, special events being provided for the coming saturdays. The results were:

100 yards, boys, senior—1st, Cutler; 2nd, McCallum; 3rd, T. Heyland. Time, 11 1-5 secs.  
75 yards, girls, senior—1st, Miss Nicholson; 2nd, Miss Cavin; 3rd, Miss Thomson. Time not taken.  
100 yards, boys, junior—1st, McIntyre; 2nd, French; 3rd, Steele. Time, 12 1-5 secs.  
75 yards, girls, junior—1st, Miss Burrell; 2nd, Miss McIntyre; 3rd, Miss Falconer. Time not taken.  
One mile, open—1st, McDonald; 2nd, Henderson; 3rd, Beckwith. Time, 5:18 4-5.

Running broad jump, junior—1st, Steele; 2nd, Heyland; 3rd, Heyland. Distance, 16 ft. 5 in.  
Potato race, girls, open—1st, Miss Nicholson; 2nd, Miss Halliday; 3rd, Miss Grubb.  
220 yards, boys, junior—1st, McIntyre; 2nd, French; 3rd, Heyland. Time, 31 3-5 secs.  
220 yards, boys, senior—1st, Cutler; 2nd, McCallum; 3rd, Sanson. Time, 24 4-5 secs.

Slow bicycle race—1st, Leigh; 2nd, Jones; 3rd, Johnson.  
Running broad jump, boys, senior—1st, McCallum; 2nd, Cutler; 3rd, McBride. Distance, 18 ft.  
Sack race, open—1st, Strath; 2nd, McVirdie; 3rd, Sanson.  
440 yards, boys, junior—1st, Forrester; 2nd, French; 3rd, Steele. Time, 1:04 1-5.  
440 yards, boys, senior—1st, Cutler; 2nd, McCallum; 3rd, McDonald. Time, 56 2-5 secs.

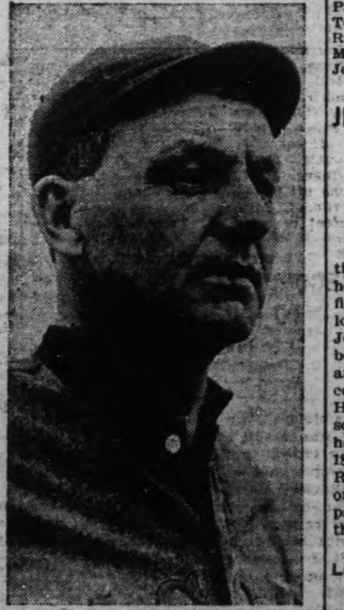
Kicking football, open—1st, Warlicker; 2nd, Hickey; 3rd, Hardie. Distance, 150 feet.  
High jump, boys, junior—1st, McIntyre; 2nd, Heyland; 3rd, French. Height, 4 ft. 9 in.  
High jump, boys, senior—1st, McCallum; 2nd, Gilie. Height, 5 ft. 2 in.

Old boys' 100 yard race—1st, Allan Clark; 2nd, Ross.  
Obstacle race, open—1st, Head; 2nd, French; 3rd, Hardie.  
Relay class race, first—1st, Junior B; 2nd, Preliminary A; 3rd, Preliminary C.  
Relay class race, boys—1st, Matriculation C; 2nd, Junior A; third, Matriculation B.

## SECURES GROUNDS.

Vancouver, May 17.—Hastings Park oval will be accessible to the public at any time, with the exception of that part reserved for professional lacrosse matches, under a lease with Con Jones, which was agreed upon by the city exhibition and park site committee yesterday. The lease will be for five years, subject to cancellation by the city at any time. Mr. Jones stated yesterday that amateur sport and events for the younger generation in particular would be encouraged.

## IRON MAN NEEDS HOT WEATHER



Jimmy Britt, once contender for the title now held by Willie Ritchie will be here all next week. Britt started fighting in 1907, and retired in 1909 following his defeat in the hands of Johnny Summers in 9 rounds. He was born in San Francisco, Cal., in 1897, and for some time was touted as the coming champion of the 123 pounders. He holds two decisions over Bat Nelson, and on the other occasion when he met the Dane, scored a knock-out in 18 rounds. Britt says that Willie Ritchie, the present champion, is the only lightweight in the ring who compares with the former champions in the lightweight division.

## V. A. C. ENTRIES STAR AT SEATTLE

Al. Hatch, of Vancouver, Was the Feature of the Evening; Takes Three Titles

Seattle, May 17.—In Pacific Northwest Association championships held here last night Vancouver took the majority of the points from the opposing clubs. Al Hatch from the Terminal City was the star performer on the mat, and won all three classes, the 145 pounds, the 155 pounds and also the 175 pounds. In the former class he was opposed by Wray, a local mat man, and Hatch threw him so violently to the mat that the latter's rib was found to be fractured.

The best bout of the tournament was between two local boys, Gleason and Pinkham, who unfortunately drew against each other in the first round. They put up a whirlwind bout for four rounds, and at the end the battle was so even that the judges could not pick the winner, and flipped a coin to see which boxer had won. Gleason was the lucky man in the toss.

Knowlton, the present P. N. A. 135-pound champion, caught a Tartar in J. Soules, of Vancouver. The latter took him in like a wild man for the first couple of rounds, and cut loose an assortment of swings, any one of which, had it landed, would have sent Knowlton to the canvas. He clearly outboxed the Canadian in the third round, and secured the decision.

Polly Grimm referred the wrestling bouts, and Charles Hulen the boxing bouts.

## BIG LEAGUE SCORE BOARD

NATIONAL.  
Yesterday's Results.  
New York, 7; Pittsburgh, 4.  
Philadelphia, 3; Chicago, 5.  
Brooklyn, 3; St. Louis, 5.  
Cincinnati-Boston, rain.

Standing.	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	16	7	.696
Brooklyn	14	12	.538
St. Louis	14	14	.500
Chicago	15	15	.500
Boston	10	14	.417
Pittsburg	12	12	.500
Cincinnati	8	19	.296

AMERICAN.  
Yesterday's Results.  
Philadelphia, 3; Cleveland, 5.  
Chicago, 7; New York, 0.  
Boston, 3; St. Louis, 2.  
Detroit, 5; Washington, 2.

Standing.	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	15	6	.706
Washington	16	9	.640
Brooklyn	17	10	.630
Cleveland	12	13	.581
Chicago	12	15	.444
Boston	12	12	.500
St. Louis	12	12	.500
Detroit	11	18	.379
New York	7	18	.280

PACIFIC COAST.  
Yesterday's Results.  
San Francisco, 5; Oakland, 6.  
Portland, 5; Los Angeles, 2.  
Venice, 6; Sacramento, 2.

Standing.	W.	L.	Pct.
Los Angeles	20	10	.667
Oakland	22	19	.537
Venice	22	22	.500
San Francisco	22	23	.489
Portland	17	21	.447
Sacramento	16	23	.410

INTERNATIONAL.  
Yesterday's Results.  
Toronto, 2; Baltimore, 1.  
Buffalo, 2; Providence, 1.  
Rochester, 3; New York, 3 (13 innings).  
Jersey City-Montreal, rain.

Standing.	W.	L.	Pct.
Buffalo	15	9	.625
Newark	16	10	.615
Rochester	14	11	.560
Providence	12	12	.500
Toronto	11	13	.458
Rochester	11	14	.440
Montreal	9	13	.409
Jersey City	9	14	.391

## JIMMY BRITT FORMER BOXER HERE NEXT WEEK

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## LORENZO WINS THE MANCHESTER CUP.

London, May 17.—The Manchester Cup was run yesterday at Manchester over a 1 1/4 mile course, and resulted in the victory of the favorite, Leopold Rothschild's four-year-old brown colt, Lorenzo, by St. Frusquin. Pie Wadras, which started at 9 to 2; C. Wadras, Fz Yama, 6 to 1, was second, and L. Wiman's Adam Bede, 20 to 1, was third.  
London, May 17.—The latest betting on the Derby, run at Epsom, June 4, is as follows: W. Raphael's Louvres and C. Bower Jany's Tenebris, 9 to 2; A. Aumon's Nimbus, 100 to 8; W. Hall Walker's Great Sport, 20 to 1, and Lord Harewood's Cantilver, 40 to 1.

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## AS SEEN FROM THE PRESS BOX

Pappe, the youngster playing left field for Spokane, looks like a comer. He was turned over to Boise, but was turned back without even a trial. Then when Watt Powell broke his arm the boy got a chance and has made good with a vengeance.

We're glad to lamp Lelivett's name in the Yankee line-up.

To our mind, what the Red Sox need most is Jake Stahl out there in the fight every day.

We don't mind a man being called Johnson, because there's Walter of the Senators, you know, who is one of our most respected citizens. However, when in addition to Johnson a recruit brings along the handle "Jack," enough is too much.

A wag remarks: "Well, now that Chance has his Derrick, let's see him lift the Yanks out of the cellar."

Fans presented Joe Tinker with a suitcase. So soon?

Cartwright is playing such good ball for San Francisco that he is a fixture on third base. It was believed that Cart had seen his best days up here, but he seems to have taken on a new lease of life. It must be the climate.

Spokane announced that it isn't Schultz, but a pitcher named Salts that it is to secure from the Boston Nationals. Salts? Sounds familiar, but not as the name of any Boston player. But then Joe Cohn is always getting a player who can't be traced.

Joe McGinnity is gradually finding himself personally and pitching the ball for himself, but he admits that he will have to do some general fixing if he expects his team to get up in the race.

Bill Hynes, who pitched the no-hit game for Portland against Vancouver, is a recruit secured from the Canadian league.

Seattle has given up all hope of securing the return of Bert Whaling from the Boston Braves. James and Whaling make a battery that George Stallings can bank on.

Vancouver has secured Pitcher Northrup, formerly of Des Moines.

Catcher Crittenden, formerly with Tacoma, has signed with Helena in the Union Association.

Spokane has released Second Baseman Redmond (Raymond) to Calgary and Pitcher Blaine Gordon to North Yakima.

Following are the nicknames of the Northwestern League Clubs:  
Portland—Cots.  
Seattle—Glants, Tillikums.  
Spokane—Indians.  
Vancouver—Beavers.  
Victoria—Bees.  
Tacoma—Tigers.

Spokane has grabbed Outfielder Crum, released by Seattle.

It is reported that Ben Hunt's arm is sore.

Brown, the former Bee pitcher who was released to Medicine Hat, won from Regina recently. Brown lost the first game he pitched by a narrow margin. He also secured a three-bagger.

Bobby Steele broke into the win column in the Twilight League the other day.

Hap Morse is playing second base for Moose Jaw. In a game recently Hap made two errors, but made up for this by securing three hits. He also stole a base.

Felts, Victoria's speeding outfielder, continues to beat out bunts.

## RIDPATH IN WINNIPEG.

Winnipeg, Man., May 17.—Bruce Ridpath, the famous canoeist and manager of the Toronto professional hockey team, is in the city on business. He is at the same time trying to build up his next winter's team; yesterday he was talking to Del Irvine, the sturdy Monarch arch cover point, about playing pro hockey, but Del would not even consider the matter, and said that the Monarchs were good enough for him.

## IN THE LODGE ROOM

I. O. O. F.

Meetings Next Week.

Monday—Victoria Lodge No. 1. General relief committee.  
Tuesday—Vancouver Encampment No. 1.  
Wednesday—Columbia Lodge No. 2.  
Thursday—Dominion Lodge No. 4.  
Friday—Canton Victoria No. 2.  
Victoria Lodge No. 1.

A large attendance last Monday evening witnessed the first degree put on by this lodge in a very commendable manner. Much enthusiasm is being displayed by the members in the degree work in view of the coming cup competition, and all the officers are doing their best to be in trim for the coming event. The second degree will be conferred upon several candidates next Monday evening.

Columbia Lodge No. 2.

The degree of Rebekah was conferred upon several candidates last Tuesday evening in a very satisfactory manner. Delegates to the Rebekah Assembly elected at the meeting were Sister Wilby, D. D. P., and Sister Lorimer, P. G. This lodge will hold one of its popular social dances on the last Tuesday evening in this month.

Vancouver Encampment No. 1.

The encampment will meet on Tuesday evening next. Degree work will be put on, and a good attendance is looked for.

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## CIVIC BUDGET HAS COUNCIL APPROVAL

Continuity of the Council Received Unanimous Endorsement Last Night

## SUB-COMMITTEES NAMED TO WORK OUT DETAILS

Correlation of the Dates of General Election and Tax Collection to Save Money

The city council went on record last night in favor of a municipal budget, of continuous councils and of the approximation of the dates of general election and of the collection of taxes—unanimously as to the first two and practically so as to the third.

These recommendations were contained in the message from the mayor which he submitted to the council a few days ago, and the chief business before last night's meeting was their consideration. Having decided upon the principle of these three propositions as being in the interests of the city, small committees will work out the details of the method in which the changes may be brought about. Other portions of the message, dealing with civic insurance and civic banking, will be taken up on Monday if there is time. Before the subject is done with there will be a discussion on the merits of the commission form of government, but the mayor explained that he had purposely avoided any reference to this in his message, seeing that the government has refused to give municipalities the right to adopt that system if they desire.

Question of Propriety. Ald. Cuthbert, as soon as the council had gone into committee of the whole on the communication from the mayor, recalled that the government had sent a royal commission round the province to ascertain the views of the people on municipal matters. Had the mayor appeared before that body?

"No," his worship replied. The alderman further questioned the chair as to whether the end sought would not have been attained more quickly if he had laid his views before the commission. Would it not have been of more service to the city, he asked.

"No, sir," was the very emphatic answer given by the mayor. Ald. Cuthbert thought that the commission was the proper place to have ventilated these matters, and that the mayor should have attended the meetings. Asking the question, what was the cause of the abnormal condition of to-day, he answered it as "lavish expenditure of money in 1911, almost reckless letting of contracts by that council, and the leading up of the departments in the city hall with ten times the amount of work they were capable of handling."

He considered that this had caused all the financial embarrassment and the other difficulties that confronted the city to-day. He intimated that though his worship to-day was of the opinion expressed in his letter he might have changed this mind six months hence, and thought that by "looking" aldermen would see that "men closely connected with the corporation had made the greatest mistakes of any men in public life in matters where they thought they knew they were right, but three months after decided they were wrong."

Mayor Morley, after a pause, suggested that the matter be before the council for discussion, but that nothing had taken place of that nature yet.

This brought Ald. Cuthbert to his feet with an assertion that this was an insult and slur on him.

Reasons For New System. His worship, having called Ald. Gleason to the chair temporarily, explained and supported the proposals made in his message. The suggestions he had made, he said, were solely as part of his duty to the city and the aldermen, and politics should not be brought in in any way. He pointed out the advantage of an annual budget of civic expenditure, with which the council would know at the beginning of the year what money it had to spend and how it was to be expended.

This budget, to which all the other proposals in his message were necessary, could be adapted to the present system of civic government just as well as it would be in harmony with better systems, a discussion on which would have to come later on. Most of the troubles from which the city had suffered in the past were due to the fact that the council in each year had not been able to start out with a clear idea of what it had to spend and what it should be decided that the budget ought to be decided the next question was how it could be best adapted to practical use, and how the civic government could be altered to meet it, as in the matter of continuous councils. It was not a good thing for a business to have abrupt changes of management, and the same thing held in regard to the conduct of civic affairs.

At the beginning of every year there were half the members of the council, and sometimes a larger proportion, who had to spend some months in learning about the business they had to administer, and when they were just getting into it they might be defeated at the poll and other new men sent to council to repeat the same process. The right system of election to a council would be to have one-third retiring each year.

Also connected with the budget system was the necessity of having the collection of the taxes come closer to the time when the elections were held, and the new council started its work.

## NORTH WEST SEWER SERVES LARGE AREA

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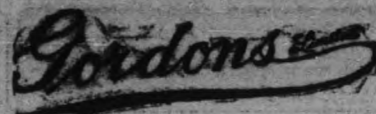
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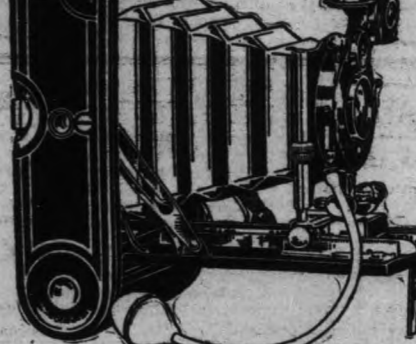
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Some day meet in this royal city of the West, and have the opportunity and pleasure of spending a week or two here. It would be a wonderful advertisement for the city. Meeting next year in Halifax, it would be very fitting if the Pacific gateway were chosen for the year following.

Ald. Cuthbert moved that the city extend a very hearty invitation to the Assembly to hold its 1915 meeting here, and he suggested that a sum be voted in that year for the proper entertainment of these visitors.

Ald. McNeill seconded this proposal so far as the invitation was concerned, having no doubt that the council then in office would deal generously with the financial question.

The council unanimously approved of the invitation, and a formal letter will be entrusted to the commissioners who go to the Assembly from this city.

STUMBLING OVER SUCCESS.

One's reputation often gets in one's road. We stumble over our fame. A jury instinctively braces itself against a lawyer who has a great name. People are as distrustful of eloquence as they are moved by it. You remember the cunning of Mark Anthony?

"I come not, friends, to steal away your heart. I am no orator, as Brutus is; but, as you know me all, a plain, blunt man."

La Bruyere wrote: "We have made a long stride toward shrewdness when we have made people think we are but indifferently shrewd."

And another Frenchman: "It is a great ability to conceal one's ability." The secret of this is that the characteristic of power is humility. Pride is invariably weakness, and the instinct of mankind at once detects it. The perfection of beauty is modesty; of acting restraint; of writing, plain words; of authority, quietness; of goodness, lack of profession; of all power, silence.—Dr. Frank Crane in Woman's World.





# THE AUTOMOBILE IN AND AROUND VICTORIA

MARINE DRIVE

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## SIX-CYLINDER CARS WILL BE IN DEMAND

Eastern Man Says the Type  
Will Continue to Grow in  
Popularity

## LOCAL AGENTS FIND READY PURCHASERS

Neighboring Cities in Some In-  
stances Called on to Sup-  
ply Machines

A sale of eight cars during one week is a very good record for a motor firm in a city the size of Victoria, yet this is what Messrs. Moore & Pauline have experienced during the past few days. One of the number, it is confessed by the firm with commendable frankness, is a second-hand machine. All the others, however, belong to the best and newest stock, two having been sent to Nanaimo to purchasers there, three 35's having been sold in town, one 30 h.p. and one 25 h.p. So short were they for machines owing to the rapid depletion of their stock that they had to send to the Vancouver agency for two machines to make up the shortage. Deliveries from the Studebaker and Cole factories are still coming in, although of the number ordered for the season about sixty machines are still due, and fifteen orders have been taken for machines which the firm is unable to deliver owing to the rapid manner in which they have disposed of their stock.

The Wagner self-starter, one of the least complicated as well as one of the cheapest devices attached to any car, and operated by means of a combination of electric generator and motor, is proving singularly successful, and almost invariably purchasers of Studebaker cars express their delight with the starter.

Davie & Head.

The model 30 Neo is one of the smoothest and sweetest running cars at the price that has appeared up to the present in the city, and the fact that it can be run on ordinary grades on top drive speeds varying from 4 to 35 miles an hour, shows the beautiful flexibility of the engine which makes it useful for work either in traffic or in open country roads where the eye of the vigilant police is temporarily veiled.

The drive is by left-hand lever, and the starting device is arranged in such a convenient manner that all the man at the wheel requires to do to start his machine is to press the starting-lever with the foot after switching on the electric current. The clutch action is elastic, and unless the driver is exceptionally careless there is never any jerky bound forward when the car is started. The springing of the car is effected through the suspension and body springs which make for easy riding quite apart from deep upholstery and similar superficial devices. The gears engage so smoothly that there is an almost entire absence of noise, while the control by single speed lever makes for simplicity in driving.

Wood Motor Company.

The Wood Motor Company does an enormous business in electric automobiles, and in order to specialize this department of the business it is transacted almost entirely from a separate headquarters. The utility of the electric car for commercial purposes is receiving widespread recognition, and during the past four months the above firm reports having sold and delivered

more electric pleasure cars, chiefly of the brougham type, than ever before. Simultaneously with this, however, they have received numerous inquiries from business houses with reference to electric commercial cars, one firm having recently practically placed an order for two.

The Detroit Electric Factor, which is represented here by the Wood people, have recently forwarded some interesting literature pertaining to the electric vehicle generally, among which is a paper read by A. W. Cummings, president of the Dunkirk Laundry Company, New York state, read before the National Laundry Association at St. Paul. This paper shows beyond contradiction that the electric commercial car is a time and money saver, and in the end effects the right side of the profit and loss account.

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Speedwell Company.

Another local agent whose business demanded immediate assistance from one of the nearby agents is the Speedwell Company, who, unable to await delivery from the head factory, had to send to the Portland agent to get a machine to fill an urgent order. The firm is to-day delivering a 40 h.p. roadster to Frank J. Sehl, and two carloads of machines are expected in the near future.

The first of the rotary-valve engine Speedwells will arrive in the city in the near future, the shipment having been expected several weeks ago, but, owing to the stoppage occasioned in the shipping department at Dayton from the devastating floods there recently, a long delay has kept the local agent from receiving delivery.

The 4-ton 50 h.p. Speedwell truck, which did all the hauling for the camps on the Esquimalt & Nanaimo and Canadian Northern railways at Cowichan Lake, is doing excellent work this season at the Qualicum extension of the Canadian Pacific at Comox, hauling most of the camp supplies required by the men. The distance traversed will be no small test of the truck's powers, as something like twenty-two miles of road has to be covered to get supplies. Mr. Feldhausen, manager of the Speedwell Company, is at present up at Union Bay giving the machine a general inspection before it is placed on the road for the season.

Vancouver Island Motor Company.

Once more the Vancouver Island Motor Company has been entertaining one of the representatives of an Eastern factory, this being R. C. Greth, of the Hudson factory, Detroit, who spent the last week visiting Victoria and looking over conditions for the future here. His observations seem to have been of a highly satisfactory character, and two days ago when he left for the South it was with a firm conviction that Victoria was not only scenically one of the finest cities he had seen, but certain to be one of the best business centres on the Pacific Coast in a few years.

Mr. Greth left a word of warning and prophecy when he announced that the general tendency of the future among the manufacturers would be toward building 6-cylinder cars, and that the manufacturer who next year did not produce a 6-cylinder machine would fall behind. During his visit to the city Mr. Burman took him up to Cowichan Lake, and showed him the section of the Pacific Highway between that point and Victoria, the visitor being considerably impressed with the attractions which such a route should offer to motorists once the highway is opened up further to the south and east.

The firm is taking delivery in the next few weeks of another carload of Hudsons, both this agency and the agency in Vancouver having done extremely well. Chase trucks are selling well also, and during the past three months the firm has disposed locally of no less than six, while a 33 h.p. Hupmobile has been delivered during the past few days to Messrs. Penderay.

## HE STRIVES TO PLEASE



Motorist—We had an accident. Have you got any of that liniment that's good for man and beast?

Amiable Merchant—Yes, sir. Got both kinds. Which one of you is hurt?

## SMALLEST PRACTICAL CAR



This little car was recently presented by Queen Alexandra to Prince Olaf of Norway. It is here seen in the course of its journey through the streets of London to Marlborough House. The car is an electrical self-starter and is complete in every detail.

## OWNER LENDS TOURING CAR TO RUN THEATRE

Accident Leaves House Dark  
but Automobile Solves  
Difficulty

A break in the circuit of the town's electric lighting system recently afforded an automobile owner at Dundee, Mich., an opportunity to demonstrate what a touring car could do in the way of running a theatre.

The electric service was no sooner cut off than preparations were made for an emergency light supply. A generous owner promptly loaned the services of his touring car and a powerful dynamo was purchased by the theatre proprietors.

In order to connect the power plant of the automobile to the belt wheel of the dynamo, the rear wheel of the car was jacked up from the ground. With the tire removed, a belt was used to connect this rear wheel with the dynamo and the emergency electric light plant was ready to operate.

For four straight hours the car continued to drive the dynamo. The speed maintained during this time was 1,400 revolutions per minute. The power developed would have been sufficient to move the car at a rate of thirty-five miles on a level road, or it would have been great enough to drive up a 2 per cent. grade at a speed of twenty miles per hour. In the four hours during which the motor was in operation but five gallons of gasoline and two quarts of lubricating oil were used. The dynamo carried a load of one moving picture, are lamp and fifteen incandescent lights. The several performances of the moving picture show that evening passed off without the slightest trouble. The car demonstrated that an automobile can run a theatre.

## OPENING YOSEMITE PARK

Secretary of the Interior Will Declare Decision Shortly.

Washington, May 17.—Secretary of the Interior Lane has turned over to Chief Clerk Ucker all data, maps and information concerning roads in the Yosemite Park for Mr. Ucker to whip into shape for the Secretary's decision as to what road shall be opened to automobiles.

While Secretary Lane has not decided the road to be opened, in all probability it will be the Coulterville road, and its connection, the El Portal road. Just when the road selected will be opened cannot be determined now, but it was stated to-day that it will probably be in July or August.

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## WILL FIGHT DUTY

American Motor Firms Say Injury  
Would Follow Taxing of Glasses  
and Parts.

Twenty-seven American motor car manufacturers have joined forces to oppose the proposal of the ways and means committee of the House of Representatives to have the duty on automobile chassis fixed at 30 per cent, and the duty on automobile parts fixed at 20 per cent. They have chosen a tariff committee, which is composed of Henry B. Joy, chairman; John N. Willys, Hugh Chalmers, W. C. Ireland, and Charles Clifton, who has given out a statement to the effect that the import tax would greatly harm American industry.

## PACIFIC HIGHWAY OPEN IN AUGUST, 1914

F. J. Mackenzie Expects Completion of Canadian End by Then; Difficulties

It is hoped to have a grand opening of the Pacific highway twelve months from next August, when the centenary of the treaty of Ghent comes round. It is expected that by that date the section north of the international boundary will be ready, and that memorial arches will be erected on either side of the line at Blaine.

F. J. Mackenzie, M. P. P., who has been in the city during the past week, has taken considerable interest in the construction of the highway, which passes through his riding, and says that some difficulty is being experienced with the stretch of roadway near Cloverdale, where peaty land is found. It is impossible to prohibit the heavy

## IN THE ORIENT



A resident of New York and her son have just completed a 40,000-mile tour around the world.

farm machinery passing over the road, which is found to sink when subjected to any specially heavy weight. Mr. Mackenzie says the engineers who have investigated the situation state that the roadway will ultimately have to be built of reinforced concrete. He thinks it would probably be an economy to construct it in this manner right away. The strains can then be more evenly distributed over the breadth of the roadway. Just as the sink hole at Ardley on the Great Northern Railway between New Westminster and Vancouver, is showing signs of giving more trouble, the Owl train having been held up only this week at that point, so the peaty bottom lands through which the Pacific highway runs are causing the engineers similar difficulties.

Mr. Mackenzie gave the Times some figures about the amount of traffic over the Great Northern railway, collected at the boundary, as he resides at White Rock, the Canadian immigration and customs depot for traffic with the Washington side. He said that if the first class road to New Westminster and Vancouver is formed by way of the Pacific highway, there will be an enormous development of the land transportation between Canadian and American cities, quite apart from automobile business of a passenger character.

## REGISTRATION TAX ATTACKED IN COURT

American Automobile Association is Preparing for Big Legal Fight

## CONSTITUTIONALITY OF REGULATION QUESTIONED

Test Case Started in New Jersey and Will Be Carried to Highest Courts

The question of carrying to the highest court in the United States the constitutionality of the automobile registration tax will be considered at the next meeting of the executive board of the American Automobile Association. While there has been an acquiescence for several years on the part of motorists in accepting this tax when the money was employed in highway progress of one kind or another, especially in those states where it was paid in lieu of a personal property tax, the legislatures of the past winter have shown such a marked inclination to increase fees to an exorbitant degree that the A.A.A. officers have taken up the matter with the state divisions of the national body, with the result that President Laurens Enos appointed a special committee to prepare and present a report at the meeting to be held in Baltimore.

William H. Hotchkiss, of New York, chairman of the committee, with Lewis R. Spear, of Massachusetts, and E. M. Rowe, of Maryland, as his associates. Charles Thaddeus Terry, chairman of the A.A.A. legislative board, who has had much to do with the framing of motor laws in many parts of the country, will assist the committee in the preparation of its report, which is going to be unusually thorough.

Claim Discrimination.

Where the registration tax has been in lieu of all other taxes and the money used exclusively for road maintenance, as in New York state, there has been slight objection. On the part of the motorists over the unconstitutional discrimination against one class of road user, as long as the amounts paid were within reason. The protest recently has accumulated strength in those states in which the owners of motor-driven vehicles are called upon to pay a registration tax, personal property tax and still another tax for driving of the car. Double taxation and discrimination against one class of road user are the two points which are said to invite attack on the ground of unconstitutionality.

The case that may be carried up originated in New Jersey, which state calls for three payments by the automobile owner; registration of the car, driving license and property tax. The A.A.A. state organization instituted the suit, which has had adverse decisions in the New Jersey courts.

## DRIVING FAST IN CITY

Peculiar Tests Are Carried Out in London Streets.

It is interesting to compare the Englishman's idea of what a motor car should stand up under with that of an American. The American will travel miles to see a speed contest, such as is held at the Indianapolis speed race. Of course, in the past, the Englishman has got a great deal of pleasure out of the racing held at the Brighton

track. Recently they have taken up a new form of motor car endurance, which bids fair to be one of the most popular contests in England. The Royal Automobile Club of England recently held what they call "a non-stop, high speed contest" through the crowded streets of London. For eight consecutive hours such thoroughfares as Piccadilly circus, Regent street, Oxford street and Trafalgar square, and so on, were traversed. The rules of the contest were that the car must be kept in high speed and must not make an involuntary stop throughout the run.

## MICHIGAN WILL HAVE FINE ROAD SYSTEM

Bill Before Legislature Will Assure Campaign for Better Trunk Thoroughfares

The good roads bill, under consideration by both houses of the Michigan legislature, provides for improved highways extending entirely across the state in half a dozen directions. It promises to be the biggest campaign of road-building ever undertaken in a single commonwealth, and the vast stretches of almost impassable mud and sand will soon be of the past.

The bill provides for highways extending from end to end of Michigan's lower peninsula, from east to west, from south to north, from southeast to northwest and from southwest to northeast, besides several branches in other directions. The undertaking is a stupendous one and speaks very highly of the progressive policies of Michigan people. Only by motorists who have sought in vain to benefit by the superior natural advantages of the Wolverine state will the importance of the plan be appreciated.

The policy of the state in the proposed bill is extremely liberal. Any county that builds two or more miles of road according to state specifications will be entitled to double the usual award given for such work. In cases where three or more miles are built the state will be obliged to give the regular award, most half the cost of erecting bridges and culverts. State reward roads now in existence will be entitled to half the original award if kept in good repair, and if widened or resurfaced will receive a reward which will bring the amount to double the original award. All roads are to be regularly inspected by the state highway commissioner.

## TIRES WILL BECOME FEATURE OF INDUSTRY

"Few men have ever stopped to think that ultimately the tire business will be the big end of the automobile industry," says a well known authority on tires. "There are now perhaps 1,000,000 cars in use in the United States. This year, possibly 400,000 new cars will be in use, discounting this number by those which go out of service.

"Gradually the ratio between the number of cars in use and the number of cars being sold, is increasing. Ultimately the opportunity for the sale of new cars will be much smaller than the opportunity for sale of service in connection with the cars in use. After a while the big end of the automobile industry will be the sale of tires and other parts necessary to keep the car running.

"As the tire is the most important accessory of the car, and the accessory which needs to be renewed most frequently, it follows that the tire business in time will become the big end of the automobile industry."

## AUTO JOTTINGS.

Insurance companies of Boston which handle automobile insurance have announced a reduction both on pleasure cars and motor trucks. On cars used for pleasure the reduction is \$2.50 for each automobile, regardless of horse power, provided the employers' liability hazard is eliminated. In other words, the reduction affects principally the man who operates his own car.

Last fall there was considerable attention given in England to the cyclo-car, which was put forward as the successor of the motorcycle, and the instrument that was to save English trade from the American invasion. The excitement reached this country, where there was much discussion in some circles as to the probability of the cyclo-car occupying a prominent place in the industry. Since the agitation reached its height, however, it has been discovered that the cyclo-car has not been as successful and popular in England as was proclaimed at first.

Motor trucks are this year expected to play quite a part in the cherry season in Oregon. Usually there is a great scarcity of vehicles and the pickers are hampered in consequence.

## AUTOMOBILE CLUB SUED FOR PIRATING

Blue Book Company Alleges Club Copied Maps and Other Data Illegally

## MOTORISTS IN AMERICA TAKING GREAT INTEREST

Manager of Plaintiff Says Advance Proofs Were Handed to Defendants

Considerable stir was created in the automobile world recently, when the publishers of the Automobile Blue Books filed a bill in equity, claiming extensive infringement of copyright by the Automobile Club of America. The bill goes rather minutely into particulars of wholesale pirating of Automobile Blue Book route data for use in the A. C. A.'s Tour Books of 1911 to 1913.

While the bill asks for no specific damages, the Blue Book Company insists on a readjustment of what it feels to be an imposition on motorist interests in general. On the details of the infringement, however, the bill is most explicit; it alleges that whatever success the Automobile Club's Tour Books have enjoyed is largely due to the fact that an appreciable fraction of the routes (in all cases from 1908 to 1911) were, wholly or in part, lifted in each case from the Automobile Blue Books of the year previous.

E. R. Mixer, general manager of the Automobile Blue Book Publishing Company, consented to make a brief additional statement to the effect that, while the matter pirated had almost of necessity been appropriated a full season late, it was not entirely a matter of keeping a competitor "sweat" and "steal" a year and a "bit behind"—for the reason that the Blue Book owes it to the touring public to protect their (and its own) interests.

More than that, facts were partially uncovered during the preparation of the case—to justify the suspicion that (in the completion of the editions of 1908 and 1909) advance sheets of the Blue Books were, by some underground route, supplied to the touring department of the A. C. A.

"This suit is unique in my observation of copyright infringements," said Mr. Mixer; "for in most copyright cases the complainant has to content himself with a comparison of the printed matter (in parallel columns) with the original; but here we don't have to rely on the natural inference arising from a striking similarity, as we have, and will produce when the time comes, the evidence of the men who actually did the work of copying under instructions from A. C. A. officials."

## LONG TIME SLEEP HEAP MUCH AWAKE

Wealthy Indian Chief Joins  
Motor Association and  
Enters Car in Tour

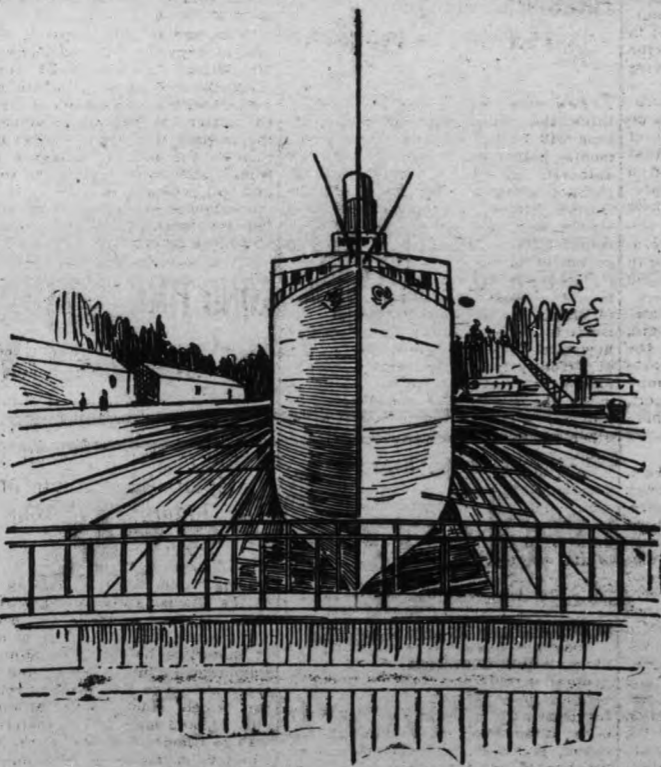
Long Time Sleep, a wealthy Indian of the Glacier National Park reservation, Montana, joined the American Automobile Association at a meeting of motorists held in the Minneapolis Commercial Club, April 10, and he will enter his car in the National reliability run which starts from Minneapolis, July 11, and ends at the eastern gateway to Glacier National Park, July 19. The tour covers about 1,200 miles. This is the first instance on record of an Indian joining the American Automobile Association. Long Time Sleep enjoys the distinction of being the most fluent "talker" in the universal sign language of the American Indians. He is of the Peigan nation and does not speak a word of English. He is an expert handler of the automobile and has enjoyed motoring with his Indian friends in the new National Park in Northwestern Montana ever since it was created by an act of Congress in 1910. Long Time Sleep, despite his name, is very much awake all the while and he expects to be able to make as good a score as any of his paleface competitors in the long drive across Minnesota, North Dakota and Montana. He says he will have his Indian friends scatter buckskin confetti over the last lap of the journey and mark the welcome to the white auditors entering upon the reservation domain of the red man.

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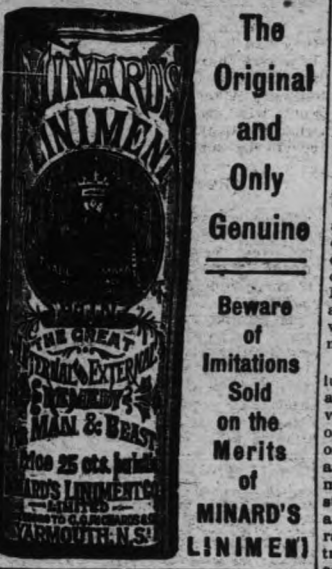
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"Rich and poor alike benefit by the teachings of this new system," says Prof. Knowles, "and the person who wishes to achieve greater success has but to apply the simple rules laid down." That many wealthy and prominent people owe their success to the power of the subtle forces is not the great mass of these phenomena. The National Institute of Sciences has therefore undertaken the somewhat arduous task of distributing broadcast, without regard for class or creed, the information heretofore possessed by the few. In addition to supplying the books free, each person who writes at once will also receive a character delineation of from 400 to 800 words as prepared by Prof. Knowles.

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**Green Room**

"Introduce Me."

In "Introduce Me," which Manager Denham will present at the Victoria theatre on Wednesday, May 21, Miss Della Clarke, the clever author-actress, is making a bid for popular favor with a clean, clever comedy full of humorous situations and a story that is sustained right to the finish.

Miss Clarke plays a dual role in that she is a club woman to her husband and one crowd of friends, and a successful author to others. The play's story is built around the "double life" she leads. The husband dramatizes a book she has written. All the time he is working on it he hasn't the slightest suspicion that his wife is the book's author. With the success of the author-wife, a straightening out of affairs and finally one last situation on which the curtain drops.

Among the people assisting Miss Clarke in the presentation of the characters are: W. H. Pemberton, Clare Kroll, Gordon De Maine, Josie Morris Sullivan, Helen Everett, Martin Muelten and C. Martin.

Empress Theatre.

Jimmie Britt, former lightweight champion boxer of the world, will be at the Empress the coming week. Mr. Britt presents a monologue and tells stories of his career. His success in vaudeville has been the topic of much conversation, particularly for his very pleasing personality and the delightful manner in which he tells his stories. He is a natty little chap, modest, gentle and always a gentleman. He seems endowed with much histrionic ability, which assists materially.

In presenting "The Test" Agnes Lee and company will offer an incident in "small town" life, full of subtle comedy and modest but appealing little theme of love triumphing over duty. While a crime has been committed in the sense of the law, proper restitution is made. No one is harmed and "humanity to all" is held as a good policy. The piece was written by a St. Paul newspaperman. Four people appear.

The Wheelers and company in their ludicrous pantomime comedy of fun and frolic called "Fun on the Boulevard," are on the bill. The act is one of the funniest. Nellie Wheeler is one of the most fascinating young women, and appears with her brothers. Fifteen minutes of songs and comedy will constitute the offering of Edward Barnes and Mabel Robinson. From opera to rag-time and from Shakespeare to travesty will be gone over by this versatile pair.

Playing the popular airs of four or five nations and attired in costumes to represent the characteristic dress, Miss Charlotte will be seen in violin playing. Old Kentucky.

At the Princess theatre the coming week the company will stage one of the oldest and most popular of plays, Old Kentucky. Though it has been on the road many years it is always a strong drawing card, playing wherever presented to crowded houses. This is its first time at popular prices. Dave Williams will be seen in the role of Col. Doolittle a part he has played many times and one in which he shows to good advantage. Miss Page will play Madge Brinary. A few years ago she played the part with one of the big road shows and won many flattering press notices. Mr. Alden has an excellent chance as Madge's mountain lover. Aunt Alethea, the sweet Southern part, is given to Miss Rice. There are many amusing scenes between her and the colonel. Then there is Mr. Howland in the owner of Queen Bees, Mr. McDonald in Neb, the old faithful darkey, and all of the other well-known characters in the play. Queen Bees will surely be on hand, also the Bungtown band, and the scenery and effects will

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Eddie Foy, together with his seven merry children, will be seen in this city on June 12 at the Victoria theatre in the bubbling musical play, "Over the River." Foy in the character of Madge Parke, it well to do New York, puts in an evening in Bustanoby's cafe with his friend Hudson Rivers. As the restaurant keeper has no license to give theatrical performances the unlucky Parke is caught among the number present and is arrested. He "sings" the magistrate and gets thirty days on Blackwell's Island "over the river." The rest of the play revolves around the efforts of Parke and Hudson Rivers to conceal the real state of affairs from Mrs. Parke. The play is



**AGNES LEE**  
Appearing with her company in the new "small town" sketch "The Test" at the Empress next week.

typically Foyesque and the many sparkling songs and ensembles have been praised for their lifting swing and unusual refreshing qualities.

**Fine Feathers.**

In "Fine Feathers" at the Victoria theatre on June 17 and 18, local playgoers are privileged in seeing an original all-star cast intact, and an opportunity of seeing this biggest drama even before it has been shown to any of the large cities of the east, outside of New York and Chicago. H. H. Frasse, producer, contracted with several of the principal western managers to bring this play and its original all-star cast for a tour of the Pacific coast. But when the first of April came and the play was still attracting big crowds to the Astor theatre, New York, Frasse ended the run, at the height of its success, and started to fill his western contracts, fearing that if he waited till next season something might occur that would necessitate a change. An idea of the treat in store for local playgoers may be had from the fact that in the cast of "Fine Feathers" are the names of such famous actors as Robert Edeson, Wilton Lackaye, Max Figman, Rose Coghlan, Lolita Robertson and Amelia Sumers.

**Frances Starr.**  
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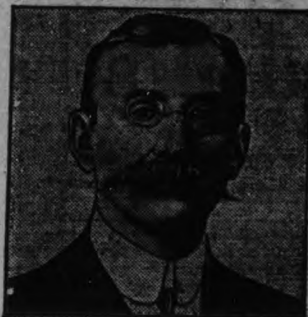
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Sydney Smith said of Macaulay that he was "like a book in breeches." One may say of Lord Strathcona that he is like Canada in swallow tail. He is not so much a man as a legend—the legend of half a continent. You shake hands with him and it is as if you shake hands with a section of the British Empire. You talk with him and it is as if Canada is before you, telling her astonishing story. And if the accent still betrays some hint of the Highlands that only makes the impression more complete, for the eminent Canadian usually has his roots in Scottish soil. There have been two great currents westward from these islands across the Atlantic. One has flowed from Ireland to the United States; one from Scotland to Canada. Both have had their source in the same tragedy—the tragedy of the land. The Highlanders fled from their burning homesteads to find ultimately a refuge in the solitudes north of the great lakes, and to lay there the foundations of a mighty nation. The Strathcons are desolate, and the deer wander over the ruins of the crofters' homes; but across the Atlantic the need blown from these straths has made the plains to stand thick with corn and the desert to blossom as the rose.

## Canada of Long Ago.

And in the track of the exiles of the eighteenth century followed the adventures of the nineteenth. One day, seventy-five years ago, about the time when the girl queen, Victoria, was being crowned in the abbey, there reached Labrador, to take up duties under the Hudson Bay Company, a lad from Forres, in Morayshire, his name Donald Alexander Smith. When you find an indisputable Highlander claiming kinship with the great family of Smith you may suspect that there is a tale "of old, unhappy, far-off things" behind the disguise. Many a Highlander who had been "out" in the last cause of the Stuarts in the '45 and the '46 re-emerged under some homely patronymic that apit safety;

and the ancestor of young Donald was probably among the number.

The lad reached the solitudes of Labrador alone, unfriended and poor, having travelled hundreds of miles on snowshoes. It was the loneliest outpost of a lonely land. Canada, three-quarters of a century ago, was still an undiscovered country, far more remote than Australia is to-day. The sailing vessel that carried young Donald thither had occupied six weeks over the journey, and it was not until later in the year that the first passenger steamer from England, the Great Western, arrived in New York harbor. West of the settlements on the St. Lawrence there stretched a solitude to the far Pacific shores. Over the last territory, afterwards known as the province of Rupert's Land—the Manitoba, Alberta and Saskatchewan of to-day—The Hudson Bay Company held dominion. Here and there, but at incredible intervals, a little fort of the company was planted in the trackless wilderness—one, as it were, in Kent, another in Lancashire, a third in Scotland. Outside these tiny shelters, the primeval forest and the wandering Indian. One of the chief of these names was Fort Garry with a white population numbering a few score. To-day Fort Garry is the great city of Winnipeg, the centre of the chief agricultural industry in the world.

## Frugal and Generous.

In this mighty transformation no single influence has played so great a part as Lord Strathcona. Canada would have developed without him, of course. But it would not have developed so rapidly, or in the same direction. He brought to it at a critical time a constancy of purpose and a steady faith that were of incalculable service. His very limitations were largely the secret of his power. Romantic though his career has been, there is no touch of romance in his temperament. He is neither a man of genius, nor an idealist. He is just ordinary man in an extraordinary degree—simple, honest, clear-sighted, practical as a plumber, stable as the hills. He himself would be the last to claim any kinship with the Superman. What he has done has been done with weapons within the reach of all—"honesty, frugality and perseverance." The lessons of that frugal home where eighty years ago he sat reading his Horace by rush light. "A mother's early training," he will tell you, "has everything to do with me. She taught me to work when I was young and to save money—two very important things in a man's life."

There are other important things which were not forgotten in that humble school. He learned the lesson of generosity. It is not difficult for a man whose riches are beyond calculation to be a public benefactor. In this country one might think it was for our rich men to be generous. But Lord Strathcona shares it. But it is not his great benefactions—the gift and endowment of the Victoria hospital at Montreal, the equipment of Strathcona's Home for the Poor, where millions he has spent on the McGill University and other institutions—that are the true witness to his generosity; but the habits of a lifetime. "When he was a poor man," said one who knows him well to me, "he had the same generous instincts. If he had only two pennies there was always one room for the guest." And there is an incident on record from his childhood which shows that though his mother taught him to save money, she taught him also something even better. When he was a boy of nine the Pindhara and the Spey broke their boundaries and flooded the country. Many of the peasants, with their families, came into Forres to seek relief, and amongst them the parents of one of Donald's playmates who had been drowned in the floods. After school Donald called upon them, and with a gravity far beyond his years consoled with them, and on leaving handed to them his riches, amounting to a shilling and some odd coppers. That is as convincing a witness to this pleasant phase of his character as the McGill University.

And in addition to work and thrift his career has been founded on two other homely virtues—duty and constancy. He is never tired of incalculating duty. "Don't go to Canada to have an easy time," he says. "You will not find any of its streets paved with gold. But work hard and do your duty and you must succeed." He himself would put his success on no higher plane than that, and if he is proud of anything it is of telling how he did his duty under difficulties. There is one bygone story he tells of those grim, hard years he spent on the coast of Labrador, where he laid the foundation of his fame as one of the best fur dealers in the company's service, and acquired the intimacy with the Indians which served him so well when he became the chief administrator of the company in Rupert's Land. Being threatened with snow-blindness, Donald Smith, with three Indians, made a journey of 500 miles by dog-sled to Montreal, where an operation on his eyes was successfully performed. It was the depth of a winter of exceptional severity, even for those latitudes, and his friends tried to dissuade him from returning to his post, for the journey almost certainly meant death. But young Smith had a guiding principle which admitted of no exceptions.

"I had by duty to perform," he says in telling the story. "Everything must give place to one's duty you know. These Indians insisted that they could never reach the post alive, the snow was so deep. They were right, poor fellows—two died from the cold and the hardships we were forced to endure before we had gone half way; the other succumbed when we were over one hundred miles from the post."

I went on—alone. I don't like to think of that time; it was too horrible. However, my rise in the Hudson Bay Company was very rapid after that. I am glad I took the trip. There is a native in that frank confession which is very illuminating. Perhaps another sense of duty would have suggested a doubt as to the right of raising the lives of others in one's own affairs, but the incident shows the unflinching loyalty of the man to an unalterable though narrow code of duty.

## The C. P. R.

But after all it is his steadfastness that has been his chief contribution to Canada. And the supreme memorial of that steadfastness is the Canadian Pacific railway. Sir Charles Tupper once made a public declaration that but for Lord Strathcona that railway would not have been constructed. It is true that it would not have been constructed then. The surrender of vast tracts of the richest land in Canada as a bait to the financial interests to carry out the work was a concession which the future will deplore and the political influence which this great corporation has brought to bear upon the life of Canada, is a fact of great and sinister import. The truth is that the railway should have been made by the state and that I believe was the view of Lord Strathcona himself. But conceding the necessity of the undertaking, his claim to gratitude cannot be overrated. The idea of driving a railway through thousands of miles of pathless forests and mountain ranges to a desolate shore—for where Vancouver stands to-day, there was then not even a log cabin—was one before which the most courageous adventurer might quail. It was a more daring idea than the Cape to Cairo railway which united two great centres of world activity. The Canadian Pacific was a plunge through nothing to nothing. It was a stupendous guess at the future.

## "Stand Fast"

But Donald Smith never faltered for a moment. He had reached middle life and an affluence that would have turned most men's thoughts to repose. Thirty years of work and thrift had brought him out of the wilderness and made him the financial king of Canada. He was supreme in the great company that had held half Canada in fee but had now surrendered its sovereignty to the state and through the Bank of Montreal he controlled with Lord Mount Stephen the only resources at all adequate to the enterprise. He staked everything upon the venture with a quiet fortitude that has few parallels. In every crisis, as was said of a greater man in a greater connection, "he stood in him like a pillar of the when it had gone out of all the others." There was one such occasion when it seemed that the difficulties were finally insurmountable. Donald Smith, then in England engaged in communicating his own confidence to financiers, received a long letter from the company couched in terms of despair. He cabied back one word. It was a Highland clan cry. "Crail-lachie," its meaning, "Stand Fast." And when finally the victory was won and the two sets of constructors met in the Engle valley in the heart of the second of the great ranges which place was named "Crail-lachie," it was here that Stand Fast Smith drove in the last spike that bridged a continent.

## Constancy and Courage.

This constancy extended to his personal associations. When James J. Hill, who is now one of the great rail-kingdoms of America, made his coup of the St. Paul and Pacific Railroad, it was Donald Smith's financial backing and loyalty that saved him. He wanted a railway to Winnipeg to open up the Hudson Bay country, and he believed in Hill's schemes as well as his honesty. No temptation would induce him to desert him. The American magnates determined to capture the undertaking at all cost. Up bounded the shares higher and higher. Hill's fate hung on Donald Smith. A huge fortune was in his grasp if he chose to sell, but he had placed his confidence in Hill and would see him through and not a share could be wrung from him, no matter what monstrous price was offered. Indeed, no share ever is wrung from him. He is one of the men who "never sell," however black the sky. In the days when Canadian Pacific shares slumped to 50, and there was an almost universal "save up" sentiment, Stand Fast Donald was immovable as ever.

The story of his intervention in the Riel rebellion—how he journeyed, mired by dogsleds, two thousand miles away from Montreal to Fort Garry which Riel with his half-breeds had captured, how he was held prisoner for two months, how he refused to yield his papers and finally through the well-affected French forced the holding of a meeting of the people, now in the open air, with the thermometer twenty degrees below zero, and in circumstances where one rash word would have set the country in a flame, he won the people from the rebel leader so that when later Sir Garnet Wolseley appeared at the head of a military expedition the first Riel rebellion was at an end—all this stands as a witness not only to his practical wisdom but also to his personal and unaffected courage.

## A Smiles Hero.

It will be seen that his character is one of rare simplicity of thought and motive. If you do not like the Smiles ideal, which certainly has its limitations and has fallen into some disrepute in these days, your admiration for this Grand Old Man of Canada will be qualified. For he is the sublimation of the industrious apprentice, and he is, from to-day, with his vast wealth, his palaces on both sides of the Atlantic, his pictures and his great reputation, unchanged in intellect and moral outlook from the honest lad who sailed westward to make his fortune long before you and I were born. His moral philosophy is still that of the frugal boy and the frugal man. "Every mouth should teach her children to be honest and work and save their money," he says. "When I was earning only fifty cents a day I saved half of it," and his respect for men is governed by these considerations—Can they be working and saving as a telegraph

operator, J. J. Hill, as a mud clerk in the livery at St. Paul, with fifty cents a day, saving on his clothes in order to buy books and "prepare himself," these are the heroes of the simple creed. And with these admonitions to be industrious and frugal his single warnings against the pursuit of wealth for itself. "Great wealth cannot bring happiness," he says. "Real happiness must come from a contented mind and hard work. Great wealth is a burden, for one has to think very hard how to make the best use of his money. I would rather be a very good man than a very rich man."

It is all in the style of Benjamin Franklin and the homology of Smiles. And, after all, a philosophy that produces a life like this, though it may be inadequate, cannot be wrong. When I see him with his burden of nearly a hundred years leaving his office in Victoria street after his industrious day, and when I think of the vast span of his activities, of the kindness of his bearing, of the splendour of his munificence, and of his indomitable loyalty to his early faith, I feel that though the fashion of his life is old it can never become outworn.—By A. C. G. in London Advertiser.

## PREMIER ASQUITH ON PRESS INFLUENCE

### Can Either Breed Bad Blood Between Nations or Sow Seeds of Amity

## DESCRIBES PRESSMEN AS UNOFFICIAL AMBASSADORS

Before a brilliant gathering at the Foreign Press Association banquet, Premier Asquith recently had some interesting things to say on the influence of the press in international affairs. Here are some of the points of his brilliant speech:

The foreign correspondent was, I believe, one of the discoverers of the mid-Victorian era. He was, I think, in the first instance, evolved, or mainly evolved, by the English Press. But if so, our foreign friends have paid us the flattery of imitation, and it is to that happy development that we owe the pleasure of enjoying the hospitality here in London of the Foreign Press Association.

You can, as we all know, breed bad blood between nations. The press can also sow and water the seeds of reciprocal amity and good will. Powers so large and so far-reaching, which, according as they are wisely or recklessly used, may make the difference between peace and war, carry with them proportional responsibilities. What do they most need who inform and instruct and guide the public opinion of the world? They need what can be best got by intercourse and co-operation among themselves—knowledge, understanding, imagination, sympathy.

Half the quarrels between nations are due, not to deliberate ill-will, or to conscious ambition, or to the passion for revenge. They are due to misunderstandings, innocent and even unintended in their origin, which are magnified and inflamed by perverted patriotism, by the circulation of unfounded stories, by the distortion of petty incidents, by the abuse of rhetoric.

## TEN COMMANDMENTS OF BUSINESS.

Every business man is or should be interested in the development of the moral side of his business, and anything that tends to make for the raising of the standard of ethics in business should prove of interest, and this is our excuse for reprinting the following "Ten Commandments of business men; ten, count 'em!"

1. Thou shalt not wait for something to turn up, but thou shalt pull off thy coat and go to work that thou mayest prosper in thy affairs and make the word "failure" spell "success."
2. Thou shalt not be content to go about thy business looking like a loafer, for thou shouldst know thy personal appearance is better than a letter of recommendation.
3. Thou shalt not try to make excuses, nor shalt thou say to those who chide thee, "I don't think."
4. Thou shalt not wait to be told what thou shalt do, nor in what manner thou shalt do it, for thou mayest find thyself in the job which fortune hath given thee.
5. Thou shalt not fail to maintain thine own integrity, nor shalt thou be guilty of anything that will lessen thy good respect for thyself.
6. Thou shalt not covet the other fellow's job, nor his salary, nor the position that he hath gained by his own hard labor.
7. Thou shalt not fail to live within thy income, nor shalt thou contract

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any debts when thou canst not see thy way clear to pay them.

8. Thou shalt not be afraid to blow thine own horn, for he who falset to blow his own horn at the proper occasion findeth nobody standing ready to blow it for him.

9. Thou shalt not hesitate to say "no" when thou meanest "no," nor shalt thou fail to remember that there are times when it is unsafe to bind thyself by a hasty judgment.

10. Thou shalt give every man a square deal. This is the last and greatest commandment, and there is no other like unto it. Upon this commandment hang all the laws and profits of the business world.

**TICKET OFFICE COMEDY.**

"Earl's Court," said a man in a hurry at the booking office window at Earl's Court station, London, recently. The booking clerk smiled.

"Earl's Court," repeated the man angrily. The clerk's smile broadened.

"I said Earl's Court—what are you grinning at?" shouted the man furiously, and then he laughed. "I mean Blackfriars."

"He is the third man this morning," said the booking clerk, according to the Daily Mail. "This absentmindedness seems to be contagious. I have known a dozen people to make the same mistake in one day. It is most marked in the morning in people who look as if they had overslept themselves and are in a great hurry. One man who has a season ticket often comes and buys an ordinary ticket. He obviously does not know what he is doing, and it is only when the ticket is punched that he discovers his mistake."

**"ROMAN PUNCH."**

There was much public criticism during the presidency of Mr. Hayes, says the New York correspondent of the London Standard, because he declined to serve wine at the White House dinners.

Mr. William Evans, then secretary of state, who was a connoisseur of wine, declared that it was not according to the rules of international hospitality to invite the diplomatic corps to dinner and not to serve it with wine. Mr. Hayes was willing to make an exception in favor of diplomats, but Mr. Hayes was obstinate.

The difficulty was overcome by secret orders to the cook to serve "Roman Punch" in oranges. Thereafter this course was pursued whenever diplomats dined with the president, care being taken that Mrs. Hayes's own orange should be filled with an innocuous liquid.

The incident became a joke among the diplomats, who referred to the punch course as "the life-saving station."

## Quick Thinking Wins

Is your thinker fed right for prompt action?

At a dinner not long ago Thomas W. Lawson was talking on the subject of success. "Success in finance," said Mr. Lawson, "is due in a great measure to prompt action. The doubting, hesitating, Hamlet type of man had best keep out of finance. He is quite sure to be swamped."

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## Keen Brains Count

Keep on with your "bacon and soggy pancake breakfast" if you choose, and stay in the Hamlet class, but if you really want to get ahead, just begin to live right.

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## SERVICES in the GTY CHURCHES

### ANGLICAN.

St. Barnabas, corner of Cook street and Caledonia avenue. Trinity Sunday. There will be a celebration of the holy eucharist at 9 a. m., matins at 10.30 a. m., choral evensong at 7 p. m. The rector, Rev. E. G. Miller, will be the preacher for the day. Seats are free and unappropriated. The musical arrangements are as follows: Morning—Organ, "The Nightingale Chorus," Handel; communion service, Sullivan; hymns, 1, 416, 631; Nunc Dimittis, St. John; organ, Credo, 1st Mass, Mozart. Evening—Organ, "The Bitter Land," Cowen; Psalms, Cathedral Psalter; Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis, Read in G; hymns, 337, 456, 293; procession, 1st Mass, "Lord, Keep Us Safe This Night," organ, Triumphant March, Nauman-Costa. St. Mary's, Burns street, Oak Bay. Holy communion, 8 a. m.; matins and evensong, 11 a. m.; Sunday school, 3 p. m.; evensong and sermon, 7 p. m. The Rev. G. H. Andrews, M. A., will be the rector.

St. Saviour's, Victoria West. Trinity Sunday. Holy communion, 8 a. m.; morning prayer and holy communion, 11 a. m.; evening prayer, 7 p. m. Special services. Morning preacher, Rev. W. Baugh Allen, rural dean; evening, the rector.

St. Mark's, Bolekine road. The Rev. J. W. Flinton, vicar. Trinity Sunday. Litany and holy eucharist at 8 a. m. at 11 a. m. subject, "The True Church." Sunday school at 3 p. m. Evensong and sermon at 7 p. m. subject, "Victims Becoming Victors." The vicar will be the preacher for the day.

St. James, corner of Quebec and St. John streets. Rev. J. E. S. Swain. Holy communion at 8 a. m. and 10.30 a. m. at 11 a. m. subject, "The True Church." Sunday school at 3 p. m. Evensong and sermon at 7 p. m. subject, "Victims Becoming Victors." The vicar will be the preacher for the day.

Christ Church Cathedral, Burdette avenue. Trinity Sunday. Holy eucharist at 8 a. m.; matins and litany at 10.15 a. m.; holy eucharist (choral) with sermon at 11 a. m.; service, Bore in B flat; preacher, Rev. H. Payne. Evensong with sermon at 7 p. m.; preacher, Rev. E. Todd, rector of Tofton. Foul Bay district, service in house adjoining Woodward's nursery, Fairfield road. At 8 a. m. and 10.30 a. m. with the litany at 12.30 p. m. and Friday. Evensong daily at 5.15 p. m.

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St. Andrew's, corner Douglas and Broughton streets. Services will be held at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. The pastor, Rev. W. Leslie Clay, D. D., will occupy the pulpit at both services. Strangers heartily welcome. The musical selections are as follows: Morning—Organ, "A Song of Melody"; Clegg; Psalm 65; anthem, "Ten Thousand Times as Many." Evening, "Jesus Christ in the Twentieth Century," Rev. xviii, 1; hymns, 90, 545, 94; organ, "Grand Chorus in D," Renaud. Evening—Organ, (a) "Triumph," E. L. Hime; (b) "Serenade," Leoncavallo; anthem, "The Strain of the Cross," Simpson; soprano solo, Miss Beek; Psalm 90; solo, "Beyond the Dawn," Sanderson. Mr. R. Morrison; anthem, "Come Unto Him," Goss; sermon, "Christ's Eminent Command," Jno. xv, 12-13; hymns, 156, 185; organ, "Marche Gothique," Hackett.

Knox, Stanley avenue. Sabbath services at 11 a. m. and 7.30 p. m. Organized Bible class at 10 a. m. Sabbath school and advanced class at 2.45 p. m. Thursday, prayer service at 8 p. m. Choir practice on Friday at 8 p. m. Strangers welcome. Rev. Joseph McCoy, M. A., minister.

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### LUTHERAN.

Grace, English, corner Blanchard and Queen's avenue. Rev. J. O. Westholm, pastor. Sunday school at 10 a. m. F. Anderson, superintendent. Morning sermon, 11: subject of sermon, "Regeneration." In the evening there will be special Luther League services with appropriate addresses and special music.

St. Paul's, corner Princess avenue and Chambers street, Fernwood car line. Rev. Otto G. M. Gerlich, pastor. Services for Trinity Sunday as follows: German service, 11 a. m. English service, 7.30 p. m. Sunday school at 10 o'clock in forenoon. Welcome.

### BAPTIST.

Emmanuel, Fernwood road and Gladstone avenue. Rev. William Stevenson, will preach. Morning, 11 o'clock, "The New Belief in Prayer," evening, 7.30 p. m., "The Angels." A new great picture of the angel in the tomb by Herbert Clark, a British Columbia artist. Sunday school and adult Bible classes. The pastor conducts a class for young men and women, 2.30 p. m. Monday, 7 p. m. Evening prayer, Rev. J. E. Todd, music follows: Morning—Organ, Voluntary; Venite and Psalms, Cathedral Psalter; To Deum, Dykes; Benedictus, Troubeck; hymns, 1, 631; Kyrie, Mass; Sanctus, Cathedral Psalter; communion hymn, 550; Nunc Dimittis, St. John; anthem, "I Will Sing of Thy Power," Sullivan; hymns, 331, 416; vesper hymn, "Now the Day is Over," recessional, 353; organ, Voluntary.

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### UNITARIAN.

First, 1230 Government street. Service Sunday evening at 7.30 p. m.

### ROMAN CATHOLIC.

St. Andrew's Cathedral, corner of Blanchard and View streets. The Right Rev. Alexander MacDonald, D. D., Rev. Joseph Letourneau, Rev. Donald A. MacDonald and Rev. John P. Silver, M.A., will officiate. Sunday mass with five-minute sermon at 8 and 9 a. m.; high mass with sermon at 10.30 a. m.; 12.30 p. m. Mass: organ, Postlude. Evensong—Organ, Prelude: opening hymn, 160; Psalms for 18th evening; Cantate, Woodward; Deus Misereatur. After the service, "I Am Alpha and Omega." Stainer; hymns, 151, 87; amen, Mass: vesper, Mass: organ, Postlude.

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A stranger meeting Mr. Henry Vincent Meredith on one of his daily walks in the money district of Montreal would never imagine that here was a man who had all his life been a hard and persistent worker in the banking business.

He looks the very antithesis of a banker—the very antithesis, too, of the typical keen and bustling business man of this continent. In London there are many men of the type of Mr. Meredith. They are retired military officers—men of noble families who have served the King and country upon the field of action in all parts of the world, and who have returned to take their place in the society of the land of their birth.

Take a typical soldier of this kind, a man with an air of command and of action, place him down in Canada, and one who has come on a tourist jaunt to look over this portion of the King's Dominion—any you have, exactly the impression that Mr. Meredith gives the stranger.

While he has a stern, commanding appearance, he is one of the mildest-mannered of men. Amid the most trying circumstances, he preserves the finest equanimity. Nothing seems to excite him. Occasions which with many men would provoke exaltation or excitement do not even result in a raising of the voice in Mr. Meredith. A quizzical look, a sarcastic turn to a phrase are just as effective with him. Mr. Meredith has worked his way from the lowest rung in the ladder of banking business to the proud position of general manager of the Bank of Montreal by sheer energy and genius for work. At the same time he has never allowed his work wholly to engulf him. He has always remained the master and not the slave of his position. This most men in his circumstances would have lost their youthful enthusiasm and adopted the sedentary life.

Not so Mr. Meredith. There is no young man in the Dominion at the present time who is a keener sportsman than he is. Just listen to the list of his clubs: Montreal Jockey Club, Montreal Racquet Club, Royal Club, Forest and Stream Club, Montreal Hunt Club, Montreal Golf Club, Mount Royal, Winter Club. Here is a fine array of sporting clubs, and he is remembered that Mr. Meredith is an active member of every one of them. Whether it is foxhunting or fishing, shooting or yachting, golfing or polo playing, he is equally adept and equally keen. Every kind of sport finds him an active sympathizer.

This explains his robust appearance, and doubtless is one of the secrets of his calm unworried aspect under responsibilities greater than those of any other financial man in the Dominion. It was in London, Ont., that Mr. Meredith was born, and at Helmut College there that he was educated. He entered the service of the Bank of Montreal at Hamilton in 1887. The bank was a small institution at that time, and good banking men were scarce in Canada. Young Meredith showed abilities and energies far beyond the common, and it was therefore in the ordinary nature of things that he should soon rise in the ranks and finally be brought to Montreal as the assistant general manager of the bank.

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### VIII.—ARGENTINA, THE "UNITED STATES OF SOUTH AMERICA"

A Country Whose Growth Has Been Almost as Amazing as That of the United States, and One in Which Business Comes Before All Else.

(Continued from Wednesday's Daily.)

The interest which Argentina arouses is entirely unlike that which appeals to the traveller's eye and mind in Peru or Bolivia or Chile.

In each of these three countries there is scenery grand in scale and different in type from what any other part of the world has to show. In Peru and Bolivia there are also the remains of a primitive civilization, scanty, no doubt, but all the more attractive because they stimulate rather than satisfy our curiosity. They speak of antiquity, and indeed all three countries have a flavor of antiquity, though Chile has scarcely any relics coming down from it.

But in the River Plate regions there is (except along the Andes and in the far north) little natural beauty, and nothing that recalls the past. All is modern and new; all belongs to the prosperous present and betokens a still more prosperous future.

Argentina is like western North America. The swift and steady increase in its agricultural production, with an increase correspondingly large in means of internal transportation, is what gives its importance to the country and shows that it will have a great part to play in the world. It is the United States of the Southern Hemisphere.

Not even the approach by sea to Alexandria or to the mouth of the Hooghly below Calcutta, is duller than that to Buenos Aires.

Before land is seen, the vessel enters a muddy, reddish brown sea, and presently the winding channel, marked for a long way by buoys, shows how shallow is the water on either side. This is the estuary, two hundred miles long and at this point about thirty miles broad, of the Rio de la Plata, formed by the union of the great river Uruguay with the still greater Paraná, streams which between them drain nearly one-fourth part of the South American continent.

A City That is Hid From View by Sea.

Approaching the Argentine shore, one sees a few masts and many funnels rising above the tall hulls of steamships, docked in lines alongside huge wharves. Beyond the open space of the wharf runs a row of offices and warehouses, but nothing else is seen, nor can one tell, except from the size of the docks and the crowd of vessels, that a great city lies behind. Nothing can be seen because Buenos Aires stands only some thirty feet above high-water mark in a perfectly flat alluvial plain, with scarcely any rise in the ground for hundreds of miles, and not a rock anywhere.

On entering the city one is surprised to find that with a boundless prairie all around, the streets should be so narrow that in most of them wheeled traffic is allowed to move only one way. One great thoroughfare, the Avenida de Mayo, traverses the centre of the city from the large plaza in which the government buildings stand to the still larger and very handsome plaza which is adorned by the palace of the legislature. Fortunately it is wide, and being well planted with trees is altogether a noble street, statelier than Piccadilly in London, or Unter den Linden in Berlin, or Pennsylvania avenue in Washington.

In the newer parts of the city more width is now being given to streets as they are from time to time laid out, but the congestion of the nucleus is a serious obstacle to rapid locomotion, which is otherwise well provided for by numerous electric car lines. No

North American city has a better car service.

Though skyscrapers have scarcely yet made their appearance, the houses are much higher than in the west coast cities, because earthquakes are not feared; and many mansions in the residential quarters, built in the modern French style, have architectural merit. So, too, the numerous small plazas, usually planted with trees or shrubs and furnished with seats, partly atone for the want of space in the streets.

A City That Deserves Its Name.

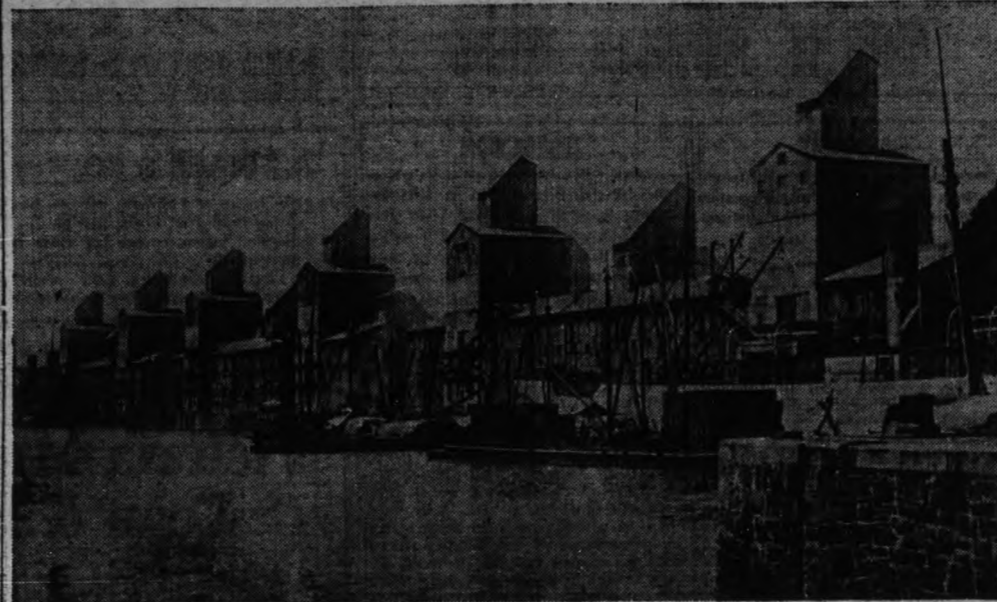
Buenos Aires deserves its name, for its air is clear as well as keen, there being no large manufacturing works to pollute it with coal smoke. The streets are well kept; everything is fresh and bright. The most striking buildings besides those of the new legislative chambers, with their tall and handsome dome, are the opera-house, the interior of which equals any in Europe, and the Jockey Club, whose scale and elaborate appointments surpass even the club-houses of New York.

Buenos Aires is something between Paris and New York. It has the business rush and the luxury of the one, the gaiety and pleasure-loving aspect of the other. Everybody seems to have money, and to like spending it, and to like letting everybody else know that it is being spent.

Betting on horses is the favorite amusement, and the races the greatest occasion for social display. An immense concourse gathers at the racing inclosure and fills the grand-stand. The highest officials of state and city are there, as well as the world of wealth and fashion. The ladies are decked out with all the Parisian finery and jewels that money can buy; and although nature has given to many of them good features and to the most of them fine eyes, custom seems to prescribe that nature shall not be left to herself.

On the afternoons, there is a wonderful turnout of carriages drawn by handsome horses, and still more of costly motor cars in the principal avenues of the park; they press so thick that vehicles are often jammed together for fifteen or twenty minutes, unable to move on. Nowhere in the

Buenos Aires, discharging their cargo by lighters and their passengers partly by small launches and partly by high-wheeled carts which carried people from the launches ashore through the shallow water. Now a long, deep channel has been dug, and is kept open by dredging, up which large steamers find their way to the very edge of the city. Docks many miles



GRAIN ELEVATORS ALONG THE WHARVES OF BUENOS AYRES

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GENERAL VIEW OF BUENOS AYRES

world does one get a stronger impression of exuberant wealth and extravagance.

A Great Artificial Ocean Harbor.

As the opera-house and the races and the park show one side of the activities of this sanguine community, so the docks and port show another.

Twenty years ago sea-going vessels

planned a new park and lagoons in the lake that washes her front, showed greater enterprise and bolder conceptions than did the men of Buenos Aires when on this exposed and shallow coast they made alongside their city a great ocean harbor. They are a type of our time, in their equal devotion to business and pleasure, the two and

admired the art with which the ground had been planted, various kinds of trees having been selected with as much taste that even on this unpromising level picturesqueness and beauty had been attained. Everything that does not need much moisture grows luxuriantly. We saw rosebushes, forty feet high, pouring down a cataract of blossoms.

A Cosmopolitan Population.

Though Buenos Aires is often described as a cosmopolitan place, its population has far fewer elements than would be found in any of the great cities of the United States.

There are English and German colonies, both composed almost wholly of business and railway men, and each keeping, for social purposes, pretty closely to itself. There is a French colony, its upper section including men of intellectual mark, while the humbler members serve pleasure rather than business.

From the United States not many persons have come to settle as merchants or ranch owners, but the great meat companies are already at work. Of the so-called "Latin" element in the inhabitants, half or a little more is Argentine born, less than a quarter Spanish or Basque, more than a quarter Italian, largely from Sicily and Calabria. These Slavonic parts of central and eastern Europe which have recently flooded the United States with immigrants have sent very few to South America. Thus the mass of the population in Buenos Aires is entirely Spanish or Italian in speech, and the two languages are so similar that the Italians easily learn Spanish while also modifying it by their own words and idioms.

The Type and Flower of Argentina.

Of the whole population of Argentina, with its immense area of 1,135,000 square miles, one-fifth dwell in the city of Buenos Aires. It is probable that this ratio may be maintained so that when thirty years hence, Argentina counts twenty millions of inhabitants, Buenos Aires will count four millions.

only details of this latest phase of humanity.

Buenos Aires' Ugly Suburbs.

If the best parts of Buenos Aires are as tasteful as those of Paris, there is plenty of ugliness in the worst suburbs.

On its land side, the city dies out into a waste of scattered shanties, or "shacks," dirty and squalid, with corrugated iron roofs, their wooden boards gaping like rents in tattered clothes. These are inhabited by the newest and poorest of the immigrants from southern Italy and southern Spain, a large and not very desirable element among whom anarchism is rife. This district, which, if it can hardly be called city, can still less be called country, stretches far out over the Pampa. Thus, although far out over the Pampa. Thus, although the central parts are built closely, these suburbs are built so sparsely that the town as

There are other large cities, and one of them, Cordova, has an ancient university and a society of cultivated men.

But business life and political life, are so concentrated in Buenos Aires as to make it to dwarf all the other cities and give to it an influence comparable to that of Paris in France.

The history of the republic was for many ages a history of the struggles between the capital—already pre-eminent in revolutionary days—and the provinces. So the people of Buenos Aires divide the Argentine nation into two classes, themselves, who are called the Portenos (men of the port), and all the rest, the dwellers in the Campo or open country. And though the wonderful development of the railway system has accelerated the settlement of the interior and brought the comforts of civilization to its towns, Buenos Aires has continued to maintain its supremacy by constantly drawing people from the interior. It is, moreover, the



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gave her people the opportunity of making their own prosperity. Unfortunately a period of civil war followed, and it was not till the fall of the dictator Rosas in 1852 that the era of real progress began.

With the comparative peace that followed the fall of Rosas there came the new factors which have enabled the country to advance so quickly: the entrance of European capital, chiefly expended in providing means of transportation, and the arrival of immigrants from Italy and Spain.

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date out from the capital, and have now penetrated every part of the country except the marshy wilderness in the north and the arid wilderness of remote Patagonia in the south.

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## NEWS OF PROVINCIAL TOWNS

### NANAIMO

Scholars of the Nanaimo public schools for the 25th of May celebration have selected a May Queen.

The happy choice of the combined vote of the schools fell upon Miss Winnifred Thorne, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Thorne, of Albert street. Miss Thorne, who is a pretty blonde, takes her honors very modestly. When a friend went to appraise her of the result of the vote shortly after 8 o'clock at night her mother smilingly told her that the May Queen-elect was in bed for the night, her parents being firm believers in the old adage that "early to bed, etc."

Miss Polly Faulkner and Miss Lucy Waters will be the maids of honor, receiving the next highest vote.

Queen Winnifred will be the first May Queen Nanaimo has had in many years, this pleasing and quaint old custom having been kept up by our forefathers, but being neglected by those who followed. Now that the custom has been revived it is to be hoped that by reason of the innocent enjoyment that the youngsters obtain from it that it will be continued.

### DUNCAN

Preliminary plans and arrangements for the building of the proposed drive sheds on the Agricultural Society's grounds at a meeting attended by the mayor, representing the city, who was in the chair, Messrs. Dwyer, McKenzie and Peterson, representing the Retailers' Association and Mr. A. A. Herd and H. D. Evans representing the Agricultural Society.

The plan which seemed to meet with the greatest approval from the meeting was one which provided for a shed about 200 feet long, to accommodate 20 rigs at the back of the main building. It was pointed out that if the shed was located at this point, it would be possible to arrange for a movable fence so that the area required might be well shut off from the main part of the grounds and so that there might be a separate entrance.

### NEW WESTMINSTER

Judging from the vim and enthusiasm with which the merchants of the city are entering into the plans for "Buy B. C. Products Day," which was to have been held on May 23 and 24, it will be a bigger success than was first anticipated, and for that reason, among others, the dates have been postponed until May 30, 31 and June 2. The New Westminster Merchants' Association have appointed a committee to act in conjunction with the committee from the Progressive Association, and at the meeting of the executive of the latter body it was practically agreed to concur in the suggestion of the business men to advance the dates.

Mr. Rashley, secretary of the Merchants' Association, was present at the meeting and stated that the merchants were planning to enter the competitive window dressing contest, and were prepared to light up well during the evenings.

The Buy B. C. Products banquet will be postponed, and Professor Hill-Tout, of Abbotsford, will be asked to address those assembled at the board on that date.

The valves connecting Burnaby with its new water supply from Seymour creek are opened, and from now on the residents of that municipality will have a plentiful supply in the shape of over four million and a half gallons daily running through their mains.

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Faith ought ever to be a sanguine, cheerful thing; and perhaps in practical life we could not give a better account of faith than by saying that it is, amidst much failure, having the heart to try again.—P. W. Robertson.

### HAZELTON

The prospecting season in this district is opening somewhat later than usual, but will soon be in full swing. Nearly all the prospectors who have spent the last few seasons in this vicinity will take to the Omineca hills again this summer, while hundreds of newcomers, attracted by the fine showings of ore already uncovered in the district, will take up the search for mineral in two or three weeks. When there will be feed for horses along the pack trails, there will be an influx of miners and prospectors into the Omineca and Manson Creek, Groundhog coalfields, and other outlying parts of the district where mineral and coal have been discovered. There is every reason to believe that the discoveries of the coming season will be as important as those of any year in the past, since there will be more men in the field and a much larger stretch of country will be covered.

The next shipment of ore from the Harris mines will be made before the end of the month, and will consist of twenty-five tons. As the ore which is now being taken out of number three vein is of exceptionally high grade, the carload is likely to bring the highest return yet received for Hazelton ore. Development progresses favorably on the property. A winze is being sunk on the 165-foot level, 65 feet north of the main shaft, while the north drift on the same level has been driven 140 feet. Winze and drift show good ore.

### UCLUELET

Under the auspices of the Farmers' Institute J. B. Terry, the chief poultry instructor of the department of agriculture, gave an interesting and much appreciated lecture here. He dealt with housing, feeding and general care of poultry, and left a pen of hens here so settlers will be able to obtain settings of the best class.

Ucluelet is forging ahead. Every day enquiries come to the branch of the development league regarding land and farming possibilities. Stump pulling is progressing, and the government workmen are clearing a roadway into the Long Beach district. Many survey parties are out.

Victoria Day sports will be held as usual, and promise to be very successful. They are under the Development League management. The new weekly service from Alberni to Ucluelet is now in force.

### GORDON HEAD

The third annual concert of the Sanich Choral Society was held in St. Luke's Parish hall on the evening of May 15. There was a very large audience and a number of the selections were heartily enjoyed. The society was assisted by Miss J. Macdonald, Fahey, soprano in "Balletella," from Paganini, "The Blackbird's Song," and "At Dawning"; Mrs. William Grant, who sang Tosti's "Good-bye" and "My Ain Folk." Paul Edmonds was heard in "Love, Could I Only Tell Thee" and Toreador's song from "Carmen." Two solo songs, "Salut O'Amour" and "Scottish Airs" were rendered by D. A. Hickling. Miss Margaret Whitaker, A. T. C. M., and Mr. Dobson, T. S. C., acted as accompanists. The part songs rendered by the society were "Men of Harlech," "Where Are You Going My Pretty Maid?" "Merry Mountaineers," "O Hush Thee My Baby," "Anchored," "The Broken Pitcher" and "The Long Day Closes." Prof. C. S. Johnson, who acted conductor, received the thanks of the society.

On Monday evening a most enjoyable dance was given by the Lake Hill Women's Institute in St. Luke's Parish hall.

### A CASE OF DEDUCTIO

Arnold Bennett, says the London Daily Sketch, loves to be taken for a Parisian. He knows his Paris well, and has written of her magic nights. Perhaps his greatest joy when he lived there was to entertain his un-Parisian English friends and astonish them with his knowledge. At lunch one day, in a little restaurant just off the Boulevard des Italiens, he asked a friend of mine: "If you didn't know, would you take me for an Englishman?" "Of course!" replied his companion, eyeing him maliciously over his wineglass. "More than that, I could name your county—Staffordshire!" "What in the world makes you say that?" inquired the mortified novelist. "Deduction, my dear Watson, deduction," crowed my friend; "every time the waiter brings you a plate, automatically you lift it and turn it over to see the 'pot mark'—the maker's imprint." "Good Lord!" said Bennett. "I must have been doing it all my life; we all do it in the 'kitchener.'" But the gesture with which he did it was quite Parisian.

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Dubeau, Eudore, B. Sc. (Montreal); born, Quebec, 1873; director of Laval School of Dentistry and professor of Laval University.  
Fallon, Rt. Rev. Michael Francis, D. D., O. M. I. (London, Ont.); born, Kingston, Ont., 1867; professor of English literature at Ottawa University, 1894-1898; parish priest of St. Joseph's, Ottawa, 1898-1901; Roman Catholic bishop of London since 1910.  
Foster, Arthur De Witt, M. P. (Wolfeville, N. S.); born, Hampton, Annapolis, 1884; Conservative M. P. for King's, N. S., since 1911, when he defeated Sir Frederick Borden.  
Morrell, Victor Eugene (Sherbrooke, Que.); born, Stanstead, 1874; editor of Sherbrooke Record.  
Seager, Charles, K. C. (Goderich, Ont.); born, Wellington, Ont., 1849; publisher of Cornwall Freeholder for many years.

#### THE CHICKEN THIEF.

Some fellows are so corrupt that in the most innocent proposition they see corruption. They resemble old Wash White. There was once a missionary out West trying to educate the ignorant mountaineers, and he was hard put to it for a suitable schoolroom. He heard one day of an abandoned hen-house that, being unusually roomy and light, would serve his turn. So he said to Wash White, an aged leader: "Wash, my man, here's a tip for you, and I want you to go up this afternoon and clean out that old hen-house behind McWade's barn."  
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## OLD ENGLISH FAIR TO OPEN NEXT WEEK

Stupendous Undertaking of the Daughters of the Empire in Victoria Nearly Complete

## WOODLAND SCENE HAS CHARMING DANCES

Interesting Performance of Costumed Dancers During Afternoon and Evening

Rehearsals for the Old English Fair which is to take place next Thursday and Friday at the skating arena under the auspices of the Daughters of the Empire are being carried on almost every hour of the day, and indirectly almost all of Victoria is feeling the effect of the preparations and a sense of the excitement which is keeping the principal workers to a high tension of activity.

The proceedings will be formally opened by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Paterson at 2.30 on Thursday afternoon, the guard of honor which will attend them being composed of the High School Cadets and the Boy Scouts, while within the big hall the Daughters of the Empire, wearing the various costumes in which they will appear in the several dances and other roles, will be arranged in groups according to the chapters to which they belong.

The programme for the afternoon will consist of a short entertainment by a merry troop of pierrots and pierrettes, together with a matinee performance of the nymphettes. Visitors will find their time engaged in wandering about the prettily-decorated stalls and booths, where all manner of attractive things will be for sale. Mrs. Col. Hall will have charge of the shooting-gallery, which is certain to prove a great attraction, and the Florence Nightingale Chapter are making elaborate preparations for the tea and refreshments department which they will take charge of.

A cooler form of refreshment has also been thought of, and the Children of the Empire have arranged to take charge of the ice cream booth. One of the fascinating corners of the big enclosure will be the Arab encampment in charge of the Navy League Chapter, where a band of gypsies will initiate the inquisitive into the mysteries of the future and provide other mystic amusement.

Dancing in Evening.  
In the evening the principal feature will be the revue, where all the trained dancers, Oriental, French, Quaker, Indian, etc., will be given, and the nucleus of which will be the woodland scene where the queen, calling to the inhabitants of the forest, awakens them one by one to welcome the spring, and, when their joyous celebration is over, gently commands them to return once more to their slumbers.

The whole scene is exquisitely pretty, the fairies, nymphs and goblins chasing each other's steps in the gladsome dances. The nymphs, dressed in mauve and pink, the buttercups in yellow and green; the daisy chain dancers, in pink and green; the three boys as will-o'-the-wisps; the eight girls quaintly dressed as Japanese visitors to the wood; Cupid dancing in their midst with bow and arrow; a gay-colored butterfly flitting from spot to spot; flowers, whose outline is traced on the velvet carpet of the greenward by dancing children, and all the pretty animation of the dwellers in the wood.

Two semi-professionals will lead the nymphettes, and a very striking performance will be the Imperial tableau arranged by Mrs. Senator Macdonald, which will be given during the evening.

Miss Schwepstone, whose brilliant and spirited dancing are well-known by the Victoria public, has kindly consented to give one of her Russian dances in costume during the evening performance. Heaton's orchestra will supply the music, not only for the dances, but also at frequent intervals throughout the day, while all manner of side-attractions will be found on the floor of the hall.

Help Needed.  
The undertaking is a stupendous one, and the Daughters of the Empire would be grateful to any of the citizens or citizenesses who would give any assistance in arranging the details at the arena on Tuesday or Wednesday. There is still a great deal to be done, and the committee could utilize the services of a great many helpers if such would be good enough to volunteer. In addition to this donations of trailing ivy and greenery would be much appreciated, as quantities of this will be required for decorating the hall. Anyone wishing to give any assistance of this kind is expected to telephone Mrs. Hasell, who will send an express wagon to collect it and deliver it at the hall.

The undertaking is being taken up by the Daughters of the Empire in behalf of the funds of the local chapters, who are engaged in patriotic, educational and benevolent work of a character which should appeal to all, and the public will be given an excellent opportunity to assist in the work by showing their interest in the enterprise and visiting the fair on Thursday or Friday next week.

PERSONAL.  
Elmer Chase is home from McGill, having successfully completed his course in civil engineering.

Mrs. W. H. Oard and Mrs. C. H. Walker, 3066 Albany road, will receive on Monday and not again this season. Mrs. S. Hooper and Miss Nina, of Winnipeg will receive with them.

## McGILL STUDENTS WHO HAVE SUCCEEDED

Results of First and Second Year Examinations; High Percentages

The first and second year results of the local branch of McGill University have just been received from Dean Moyse, of McGill. In the second year work Miss Florence Penney takes first place with an average of 87 per cent, while in the first year John C. Stevenson heads the list with a first class general standing and an average of 83 per cent.

Second Year Arts.  
Chemistry.—Class I, Florence Penney; Class II, Ira Dilworth, Emma Gonnason, R. Bell; Class III, J. W. D. Dowler, Wm. C. Ross, Jessie Bruskey.  
Latin.—Class I, Florence Penney, Emma Gonnason, Ira Dilworth, Jessie Bruskey; Class II, R. Bell, J. W. D. Dowler, Wm. C. Ross.

English Literature.—Class I, Florence Penney, Ira Dilworth; Class II, Emma Gonnason; Class III, Jessie Bruskey, J. W. D. Dowler.  
English Composition.—Class I, Florence Penney, Ira Dilworth; Class II, J. W. D. Dowler and Emma Gonnason, equal; Class III, Wm. C. Ross, Jessie Bruskey, R. Bell.

French.—Class I, Florence Penney, Ira Dilworth; Class II, Emma Gonnason; Class III, Jessie Bruskey, J. W. D. Dowler and Wm. C. Ross, equal.

First Year Arts.  
Algebra.—Class I, John Stevenson, Eva Mess, E. Richards, C. Emery; Class II, Catherine Browne, A. Gerow, Lenora Smith; Class III, Violet Harman, L. S. Yull, D. McConnell, M. Sullivan, Marg't Stewart, H. Ross.

Geometry.—Class I, C. Browne, E. Richards, J. Stevenson, C. Emery; Class II, John Clay and Lenora Smith, equal; A. Gerow, D. McConnell; Class III, H. S. Graves, M. Sullivan, L. S. Yull, H. Ross, N. McDiarmid, V. Harman.

Trigonometry.—Class I, John Mennie, John Stevenson, A. Gerow, D. McConnell and Edgar Richards, equal; Eva Mess; Class II, Catherine Browne and C. Emery; Class III, L. S. Yull, Marg't Stewart, V. Harman, M. Sullivan, H. Ross.

French.—Class I, John Mennie, John Stevenson; Class II, Mildred Beattie; Class III, Eva Mess, Claude Emery, D. Halliday, L. Smith and M. Sullivan, equal; Beatrice Williscroft.

Latin.—Class I, John Stevenson; Class II, Lenora Smith, Edgar Richards, Mary Sullivan, Eva Mess, Marg't Stewart; Class III, Claude Emery, Catherine Browne, H. Ross, V. Harman.

English Literature.—Class I, none; Class II, Mildred Beattie, C. Emery, John Stevenson, Lenora Smith; Class III, D. Halliday, Mary Sullivan, B. Williscroft, E. Richards, V. Harman, C. Browne and Marg't Stewart, equal.

English Composition.—Class I, John Stevenson; Class II, C. Emery, Lenora Smith, B. Williscroft; Class III, M. Beattie, E. Richards, M. Sullivan, V. Harman, D. McConnell, D. Halliday, Eva Mess, M. Stewart.

Physics.—Class I, John Mennie, E. Richards and J. Stevenson, equal; D. McConnell, Class II, L. Smith, M. Beattie, C. Browne and A. Gerow, equal; Class III, L. S. Yull, D. Halliday, Eva Mess, C. Emery, H. Ross, Mary Sullivan, V. Harman.

## BOYS OF Y. M. C. A. ENTERTAIN FATHERS

Novel Affair Carried Out by the Boys; Presentation of Life-Saving Awards

The members of the boys' department of the Y. M. C. A. have reason to be proud of the success which attended their first attempt at entertaining their elders, when last evening they had as guests fifty-five of the fathers at a fathers' and sons' banquet. About one hundred and thirty altogether sat down at the tables, with H. T. Knott presiding.

A choice and varied bill of fare was provided by the boys and was thoroughly enjoyed by their grown-up guests. It was a novel position for the fathers, and at first they were about as much embarrassed as the most timid boy could be in a company of the elders, but this quickly wore off, and they entered into the spirit of the occasion. A short toast list was spoken to, excellent little speeches being made by the boys who proposed the toasts. These were: The King, proposed by W. H. Gee; Our Mothers, proposed by Paul Clyde and replied to by F. W. Witham, general secretary of the Y. M. C. A.; Our Fathers, proposed by Ray Brewster and responded to by H. C. Hamilton; The City, proposed by Carl Hamilton and replied to by R. L. Drury; The Boys' Department, proposed by Tom Noyland and acknowledged by A. O. Hughes, secretary of the department.

In the gymnasium a series of games were played, including basketball and relay races, and following this there was a highly interesting display of the work of the boys in the swimming tank, all under the management of the boys themselves. That the fathers were delighted with it all was quite apparent from the personal pleasure they manifested in all they saw.

There were exhibitions of breast, side, back, treading and crawl strokes, fancy swimming, diving, boxing in the

## A MODERN NYMPH



Miss Denise Harris is one of the fourteen girls who will take part in the nymph dance in the woodland scene which will be given as the opening scene on the first night of the Old English Fair which begins next Thursday afternoon at the skating arena. The costumes are bewitchingly pretty, seven of the girls in this dance wearing mauve draperies, while the other seven will wear pink. The costumes will be trimmed with roses, while a fillet of ribbons and roses will be worn in the hair.

## BIG BONFIRE HERE IN WORLD GIRLDE

Beacon on Gonzales Hill May 24 Part of Overseas Club Scheme

A huge bonfire on Gonzales Hill on Victoria Day (known also as Empire Day) will be one of a series which it is hoped will encircle the globe. C. C. Pemberton has notified the organizer of the Overseas Club, London, Eng., that he will join in the celebration with which it is proposed to mark the day.

A short time ago the committee of the Overseas Club of Pietermaritzburg, Natal, suggested to the London headquarters that all Overseas Club branches join in a unique plan to celebrate the day on which British citizens think of their vast Empire, and the proposal was taken up. The London Club asked all branches of the Overseas Club to arrange for fires at conspicuous points. It was held that if every branch of the club would assist, a girde would be stretched round the globe.

The club at Ocho Rios, Jamaica, will have a splendid display. The fire there will be built on a raft which will be chained to a reef that runs across the harbor. It will be seen for many miles from land and sea. Mr. Pemberton cabled the London organizer that he would have a bonfire on Gonzales Hill.

## JUVENILE BASEBALL

This morning on Cook street the Colts defeated the Giants by the score of 15-11. For the winners Fitzpatrick pitched and Pauline caught; while for the Giants Pike, Munroe and Shrool were on the mound while Williams received.

## QUEEN OF BUTTERCUPS



Miss Francesca Foulkes makes a winsome Queen of the Buttercups in the dance of this name which forms part of the series of woodland dances to be given at the kermess on May 22 and 23. Miss Foulkes is here shown posing in one of the toe dances in which she is so clever a dancer. The girls in this event will wear short frocks of yellow and green, representing buttercups.

## V. AND S. WIPES OUT ITS DEBT TO PUBLIC

President of Road Pays Over \$49,500 to City and \$33,000 to Province

## IMPROVEMENTS TO LINE DEFINITELY PROMISED

Plans for Betterment of Road-bed Passed by Minister of Railways

By the payment to the city this morning of a cheque for \$49,500 and to the Provincial government of \$33,000, the Victoria Sidney Railway Company settled all the claims which these public bodies had against the company by reason of payments made on the company's bonds.

A. H. MacNeill, K.C., president of the railway and Canadian solicitor for the Great Northern railway, came over from Vancouver this morning and visited the mayor, the premier, the minister of finance, the acting attorney-general, and the minister of railways, and closed up all public financial interest in the railway. As a part of the terms of the settlement the Vancouver, Victoria & Eastern Railway & Navigation Company has guaranteed to indemnify the city and province against any future payments of the interest on the V. & S. debentures.

Now for the first time in 21 years the city of Victoria ceases to have any interest in the railway through the Saanich peninsula, and the company's indebtedness is reduced to the original actual bonded indebtedness.

"Now that this is the case," said Mr. MacNeill this afternoon, "we are in a position to go ahead and raise money for betterments and improvements on the line. Plans for the improvements of the roadbed were submitted to the minister of railways and approved, so that will undoubtedly proceed almost immediately. Just the nature of the improvements or the actual cost I am unable to state as they do not come within my province.

Acquire New Barge.

"Other improvements contemplated. I understand, are the expansion of the ferry service between Sidney and New Westminster by the acquisition of a new and larger car barge. Improvements in the passenger service between Victoria and Sidney are contemplated but the details are not yet worked out." That the negotiations with the city and province were at last completed was a source of great satisfaction to himself and the parties he was dealing with, Mr. MacNeill stated. He will remain in town until this evening.

## SUFFRAGE CONVENTION CONCLUDES SESSION

Amendment of Constitution, Election of Officers, Etc., Comprises Business

The annual convention of the British Columbia Political Equality League opened yesterday morning at the Unitarian hall, about fifteen delegates from Vancouver, New Westminster, Kamloops, and other provincial points being present in addition to the members of the local branch of the society. Mrs. Gordon Grant presided at the opening proceedings, and the meeting was conducted with remarkable expedition, and a great amount of business disposed of during the day.

The principal subject of discussion at the morning's session was the Constitution, which was amended and simplified and brought up to date. The powers and purposes of the organization were definitely defined, and a clause was inserted to the effect that the British Columbia Political Equality League should be comprised of all the affiliated branches of the organization throughout the province. The executive is to consist of the president, the corresponding secretary, the recording secretary, the treasurer, the organizers, the chairmen of committees, members of the legislation and literature committees, and presidents of all the local branches.

The meeting also decided on the plan of organization work which would be carried out during the forthcoming season, and it was definitely arranged that the two organizers, Miss Dorothy Davis, and Mrs. Lashley Hall, would be sent out on an extended tour of the province during the early autumn.

Officers Elected.  
The election of officers resulted in the following being placed in office: Mrs. Kemp, of Vancouver, provincial president; Mrs. Wiggin, of New Westminster, provincial treasurer; Mrs. Bryan, of Central Park, provincial corresponding secretary; Miss Winifred Bromley-Jubb, of Victoria, recording secretary; and Miss Dorothy Davis and Mrs. Lashley Hall, organizers.

The convention concluded its session by a public meeting held last evening in the Unitarian hall, when a number of speakers gave short addresses on the work here and elsewhere. Among these were Mrs. Gordon Grant, the retiring president, who gave her annual report and address; Mrs. Lashley Hall, Mrs. McEwan, and Robert William Clark. An informal interval gave time for an exchange of greetings among the members, while Mrs. Thomson contributed a number of vocal solos. Following the public meeting the

new executive held a short council, many of the mainland delegates returning by last night's boat to Vancouver.

## POST OFFICE MAKES MORE EXTENSIONS

New Screen Is Being Erected; Locked Letter Boxes to Be Increased

An extensive change is being made in the Victoria post office, which is erecting a screen after the design in use in Vancouver, Kamloops and other provincial post offices, which will take the place of the screen now dividing that portion of the post office where the letter-sorting, etc., is carried on from the section open to the public. The new screen, which is being placed in position, is about three feet in advance of the old framework, and will extend almost the entire distance across the front of the entrance area, containing money order, registered letter and general delivery wickets.

The front case is being done by the public works department, while Messrs. Hammond & Co., of Vancouver, are completing the changes which are being made inside the office. The inside fittings were manufactured in Vancouver and brought across to be set up. These latter will be considerable, as in order to obtain more room for stationery an additional story is to be added at the rear of the post office where the parcel post customs, now occupying the rear of the main floor, will be removed, the forward sorting department taking its place in order to permit of the city sorting department being given greater room. It is quite probable that in the course of time the letter carriers' department, which at present occupies the space just a little behind the wickets, will be moved further back.

The locked letter boxes, which now number approximately 1600, will be increased by about 500 under the changes which are being instituted, as the screen containing these will be extended to the rear of the building on the left hand side.

An additional extension will be made under the contemplated changes by the enlargement of the stamp department in order to admit of a third wicket in the section now divided off for the sale of stamps.

Court of Revision.—On Monday Harvey Combe, registrar of voters for Victoria and Esquimalt electoral districts, will open the semi-annual court of revision of the voters' lists. This time, of course, the work will be more arduous than usual, owing to the lists having been cancelled and those which will be made up now will have to be taken up by the court, most of them on the Esquimalt lists.

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Ottawa, Ont., Regina, Sask.)

## Grit Club Smoker

The GRIT CLUB will hold a SMOKER in Liberal Rooms, Cormorant street, on

## Tuesday Next, May 20th

At which Mr. W. T. CONGDON will speak on the NAVAL QUESTION, and other matters of public interest. Everyone is welcome. Come and enjoy a good smoke and hear a good speech.

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## Municipality of Saanich

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday the 17th of June, 1913, at 10 o'clock a.m. the Court of Revision for the Municipality of the District of Saanich will be held in the municipal office, Royal Oak, for the purpose of hearing appeals from the Assessment. Those having complaints against their assessment are required to have their appeals in the hands of the Municipal Clerk ten days previous to the sitting of the Court of Revision.  
Dated at Royal Oak this 15th day of May, 1913.  
J. R. CARMICHAEL,  
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Canton," said Dr. T. A. McDonald,  
who with Mrs. McDonald and children  
were passengers on the Empress of  
Japan this morning, "a small party of

## PUBLIC NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given of the filing of  
plans for the laying of a submarine cable  
across Spanish Inlet between a point on  
the East shore of Spanish Inlet, where  
Cypress Avenue intersects the water's  
edge of said Spanish Inlet (in Sec. 15, N.  
T. 1 W., North Saanich district, Vancouver  
Island, B. C.), and a point on the  
west shore of the said Spanish Inlet,  
where the line between sections 1 and 19  
intersects the water's edge of said Spanish  
Inlet (located in range 4, Shewanish  
district, Vancouver Island, B. C.), with the  
Minister of Public Works, Ottawa, and  
with the Provincial Registrar of Deeds,  
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MONEY IS ASSEMBLED  
FOR NEW YORK ISSUE

Stock Market Dull and Heavy  
With Pressure Given Cana-  
dian Pacific Stock

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)  
New York, May 17.—The bank state-  
ment to-day was considered good, but  
it is well to take into consideration that  
owing to the contemplated New York  
City bond issue, money is being assem-  
bled for that purpose. The stock mar-  
ket during the second hour was dull  
and a little heavy influenced by pro-  
nounced weakness in some of the low  
priced rails, particularly Frisco & Rock  
Island issues. C. P. R. was also under  
pressure. The large interests seem in-  
disposed to do anything and inclined to  
favor a waiting attitude, until the  
money markets improve.

High	Low	Mid.
Amal. Copper	32 1/2	32 1/2
Amn. Can.	32 1/2	32 1/2
Amn. Car. & Foundry	48 1/2	48 1/2
Amn. Smelting	48 1/2	48 1/2
Atchafalca	29 1/2	29 1/2
B. & O.	38 1/2	38 1/2
B. R. T.	31 1/2	31 1/2
C. & O.	64 1/2	64 1/2
C. M. & St. P.	102 1/2	102 1/2
D. & R. G.	121 1/2	121 1/2
Do. 1st pref.	42 1/2	42 1/2
Do. 2nd pref.	34 1/2	34 1/2
G. N. pref.	124 1/2	124 1/2
G. N. Ore. etc.	34 1/2	34 1/2
Illinois Cent.	114 1/2	114 1/2
Intar-Metro	124 1/2	124 1/2
M. St. P. & S. S.	124 1/2	124 1/2
Mo. Pacific	34 1/2	34 1/2
Nat. Ry. of Mex. 2nd pref.	21 1/2	21 1/2
Nev. Cons.	102 1/2	102 1/2
N. Y. O. & W.	29 1/2	29 1/2
N. & W.	102 1/2	102 1/2
Pennsylvania	124 1/2	124 1/2
Reading	102 1/2	102 1/2
Rock Island	18 1/2	18 1/2
Do. pref.	31 1/2	31 1/2
S. P.	31 1/2	31 1/2
Sou. Railway	24 1/2	24 1/2
Twin City	102 1/2	102 1/2
U. P.	142 1/2	142 1/2
U. S. Rubber	62 1/2	62 1/2
U. S. Steel	60 1/2	60 1/2
Utah Copper	64 1/2	64 1/2
Wabash, pref.	17 1/2	17 1/2
Granby	62 1/2	62 1/2

## NEW YORK COTTON.

Open	High	Low	Close
Jan.	10.96	10.96	10.96
March	11.06	11.06	11.06
May	11.16	11.16	11.16
July	11.26	11.26	11.26
Sept.	11.36	11.36	11.36
Nov.	11.46	11.46	11.46
Dec.	11.56	11.56	11.56

## STOCK FLASHES.

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)  
Montreal.—To meet cost of new gas  
plant and other enlargements, it is likely  
Montreal Light & Power Co. will issue  
about \$2,000,000 new stock this summer or  
early fall.  
Boston.—There is much talk of 16 cent  
copper in new nature. The 15 cent  
highest price reported at which sales  
have been made. Lake copper is at 16  
cents a pound.  
New York.—C. P. R. has made an offer  
to purchase at par and interest its \$3,750,000  
outstanding first mortgage 5 per cent.  
debentures, due July 1, 1915. Funds for  
this retirement were secured by recent  
sale of \$60,000,000 new stock at \$15 a share.  
The second installment on which is now  
being paid. Bonds were issued in 1905 and  
comprise the only bonded indebtedness on  
Canadian Pacific property.

## TORONTO STOCKS.

Bid.	Asked.
B. C. Packers, com.	140 1/2
Burt F. N., pref.	90 1/2
Canada Com.	29 1/2
Do. pref.	89 1/2
Can. Gen. Electric	112 1/2
Can. Mach.	60 1/2
Can. Loco. com.	50 1/2
Do. pref.	91 1/2
Canadian Salt	10 1/2
Do. pref.	100 1/2
Consumers Gas	179 1/2
Dom. Canners	70 1/2
Do. pref.	100 1/2
D. I. Steel, pref.	48 1/2
Dom. Telegraph	36 1/2
Duluth Superior	52 1/2
Maple Leaf, com.	56 1/2
Do. pref.	95 1/2
Bayview Mfg.	70 1/2
Do. pref.	91 1/2
Pac. Burt, com.	32 1/2
Pennam's, com.	100 1/2
Do. pref.	100 1/2
Porto Rico Railway	65 1/2
R. & O. Nav.	112 1/2
Rogers, com.	112 1/2
Do. pref.	112 1/2
Russell M. C., com.	42 1/2
Do. pref.	42 1/2
Bayview Mfg.	70 1/2
St. L. & C. Nav.	112 1/2
Spanish River, com.	60 1/2
Steel of Can., com.	23 1/2
Do. pref.	57 1/2
Toronto Paper	50 1/2
Toronto Railway	144 1/2
Twin City, com.	102 1/2
Winnipeg Railway	20 1/2
Brazil	95 1/2

## MINES.

Coniagas	750
Crown Reserve	200
La Roca	241
Nipissing Mines	300
Threeway	200
Hollinger	2700
Commerce	2750
Dominion	2750
Merchants	2750
Metropolitan	2750
Montreal	2750
Nova Scotia	2750
Ottawa	2750
Royal	2750
Toronto	2750

## BANKS.

Commerce	2750
Dominion	2750
Merchants	2750
Metropolitan	2750
Montreal	2750
Nova Scotia	2750
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Royal	2750
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## Phoenix Beer, 5 quarts for 25c.

Victoria Canada Weekly August 4th

to 9th, 1913.

ACTIVE SESSION OF  
VICTORIA EXCHANGE

Healthy Demand for Some  
Provincial Stocks Through-  
out Week

Victoria, May 17.—It was an active  
session of the stock exchange to-day,  
with conspicuous support in evidence.  
Coronation was strong, influenced by  
latest news from the camp, and stock  
sold at .36c, and Blackbird Syndicate  
had relative strength. Sales of Lucky  
Jim at the 3 1/2 level manifests the  
healthy demand. Dominion Match and  
British Canadian Homebuilders were  
offered. The feature of the week has  
been the advance tendencies of Corona-  
tion and Kootenay Gold, while Interna-  
tional Coal holds steady, being later-  
ly changed.

Bid.	Asked.
Albion Trust Co., com.	105 1/2
Do. pref.	105 1/2
Balfour Patena, pref.	42 1/2
Blackbird Syndicate	100 1/2
B. C. Life	100 1/2
B. C. Trust Oil	100 1/2
B. C. Packers, com.	135 1/2
B. C. Copper	175 1/2
Can. West. Coal	27 1/2
C. N. P. Fisheries	200 1/2
Can. P. & S. Lumber Co.	100 1/2
Coronation	34 1/2
Coronation Gold	54 1/2
Dominion Trust Co.	112 1/2
G. W. Perm. Loan	120 1/2
International Coal & Coke	37 1/2
Lucky Jim Zinc	37 1/2
Medallion Coal	37 1/2
Nugget Gold	25 1/2
Portland Canal	25 1/2
Rambler Cariboo	60 1/2
Red Cliff	100 1/2
Standard Lead	100 1/2
Stewart Land	20 1/2
Salt Spring Island Creamery	7 1/2
Victoria Phoenix Brewery	110 1/2

## PRIMARY MOVEMENTS.

Receipts.	To-day.	Last Year.
Wheat	282,000	409,000
Corn	275,000	410,000
Oats	251,000	400,000

## CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.

Chicago, May 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 200;  
market steady; beefs, \$10.00; Texas  
steers, \$6.50; western steers, \$7.00; Texas  
stockers and feeders, \$5.50; calves, \$5.50;  
Hogs—Receipts, 10,000; market slow;  
steady; bulk of sales, \$6.00; light,  
\$5.50; heavy, \$5.50; rough, \$5.50; pigs, \$5.50;  
Sheep—Receipts, 2,500; market steady;  
natives, \$6.00; western, \$5.50; year-  
lings, \$6.00; lambs, native, \$5.50; western,  
\$5.50.

## NEW YORK MONEY.

New York, May 17.—Money on call nom-  
inal; no loans. Time loans steady; 45  
days and 90 days, 6 per cent.; 6 months, 4 1/2  
per cent.  
Prime Mercantile paper, 4 1/2 per cent.  
Sterling exchange steady, with actual  
business in bankers' bills at \$4.82 1/2 for 60  
days, and at \$4.83 1/2 for demand. Com-  
mercial bills, \$4.82 1/2. Bar silver, 60c.  
Mexican dollars, 45c. Bonds—Govern-  
ments steady, railroads steady.

## NEW YORK SUGAR.

New York, May 17.—Raw sugar steady;  
Muscovado, 27 1/2; centrifugal, 32 1/2;  
molasses sugar, 22 1/2; refined sugar,  
steady.

## WHEAT RECEIPTS.

Wheat receipts in carloads follow:	To-day.	Last Year.
Minneapolis	107	120
Duluth	84	100
Winnipeg	284	300
Chicago	19	32

## GRAIN FLASHES.

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)  
Winnipeg telegraphs: Practically all  
spring wheat now sown in three provinces.  
Early corn wheat now showing green.  
Wheat acreage unchanged in Manitoba;  
15 per cent. increase in Saskatchewan and  
Alberta. Wheat has ample moisture  
everywhere for good start.  
New York The cotton market opened  
lower on reported rains several sections  
east belt. Norden, Hents, Schill and  
Reserve bought. Clearman, McGhee, Gil-  
ford, Springs and Parrott sold.  
London—Cargoes wheat easy, offered  
144.62d, decline. Corn, steady, quiet.  
Liverpool wheat, 124 lower; corn 18 1/2 up.  
Minneapolis—Spring wheat crop news  
continues good. So. Line reports very  
favorable. Conditions along Northern Pa-  
cific and Great Northern is pronounced  
excellent.

## BANK STATEMENT.

Average loans	Increased.	Decreased.
Commercial	\$1,000,000	\$1,000,000
Deposits	\$1,000,000	\$1,000,000
Actual loans	\$1,000,000	\$1,000,000
Actual deposits	\$1,000,000	\$1,000,000
Not deposited	\$1,000,000	\$1,000,000
Reserve	\$1,000,000	\$1,000,000

## The nice woman, the less sound in

often her judgment—Miss Prichard

Craven.

WHEAT MARKET LOW  
WITH LATE UP MOVE

Tight May Contract Feature of  
Buying Side That Receives  
Attention

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)  
Chicago, May 17.—There was very  
much the same sort of a wheat mar-  
ket to-day as described yesterday. The  
news was unmistakably bearish, fully  
90 per cent. of it. The cable news was  
on the side of sellers at the outset. The  
promise of unsettled weather with  
more moisture supply for the wheat  
regions both northwest and southwest  
could have nothing but a bearish  
effect. The trade followed this sort of  
news early, and the market had a  
break to 88 1/2 for July 87 1/2 for Sep-  
tember. An impression that certain  
strong interests took the offerings on  
the decline put an end to the selling  
pressure. Later there was fairly good  
cash business for Saturday, some buy-  
ing of May in taking off hedges, some  
La Salle street buying of September  
and these two features combined to  
induce considerable covering in July  
on the closing rally to 83 3/4. The  
tight May contract is the one feature  
on the buying side which is watched.  
That month closed at 90 cents. The  
September showed the most heaviness  
all day, and closed a fraction under  
Friday's price. At outside markets  
the action was much the same as here-  
before, prices a little changed from pre-  
vious close in the end.

## Wheat—Open High Low Close

Wheat—	Op'n	High	Low	Close
May	88 1/2	89	88 1/2	89
July	88 1/2	89	88 1/2	89
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### SEWER CONNECTIONS MADE BY CONTRACTORS

Council Adopts Ald. Gleason's Resolution to Permit Private Firms to Do Work

The old question of the relative merit of the work done by private contractors and the city on the laying of laterals from the sewers to buildings was again threshed out in council last night, on the motion of Ald. Gleason, that the engineer be instructed to give permits for the doing of this work under proper inspection.

City Engineer Rust opposed the proposal, and laid emphasis on the fact that often the filling in of the excavations made is not done thoroughly, so that later on the city has to do filling to correct the sinking of the earth. It would be a great expense, he said, to give proper inspection of work done by contractors, while this would be avoided if the city did it. Subsequently Mr. Rust explained that his remarks had reference only to some of the small contractors and not to the well-known and reputable firms.

Some question being made as to the engineer changing his mind the mayor remarked that Mr. Rust was standing by his previous declarations of principle, and that he was standing by Mr. Rust.

Ald. Humber declared that the cost of having the work done by the city was one hundred per cent. more than by a good contractor.

Ald. Gleason had some instances to offer of work done by the city. Within a block of his house there was a job just done which was a disgrace to the department in the way it was left. At the B. Wilson & Company block a trench had been dug by city workmen at a cost double what a private contractor would have charged them, and then it had to be dug up again because the connection was improperly made. The bowling club wanted a drain dug and got a figure of \$112 from a contractor. The department had wanted \$117, but later came down to the contractor's price.

This latter statement caused a momentary diversion, as some of the aldermen wanted to know by what right the bowling club undertook to call for tenders in regard to civic property, especially property held under such strict trust as is Beacon Hill park. That the matter will be looked into was promised.

To an objection by Ald. Gleason to citizens being asked for cash for connections made, the city engineer replied that it was found expedient to insist on this. He remarked quite emphatically that some people liked to owe the city money.

Further discussion having taken place the resolution was carried.

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### CONFERENCE DRAFTS LIST OF STATIONS

B. C. Methodist Ministers Meet in Vancouver and Discuss Work

The B. C. Methodist conference opened in Vancouver on Wednesday, and the following is the first draft of the list of stations on Vancouver Island drawn up and laid on the table at the first day's session. Rev. W. Lashley Hall, B. A., B. D., pastor of Vancouver Mount Pleasant church, is president of the conference.

Victoria (Metropolitan)—Charles T. Scott, B. A., E. D., 216 Johnson street; Wm. Sheridan, superannuated; Albert J. Brace, in China.

Victoria (Centennial)—Thos. Green, M. A., B. D., 612 David street; Andrew Henderson, Wm. C. Bunt, superannuated.

Victoria (Wesley)—James A. Wood, 561 McPherson avenue.

Victoria (James Bay)—John Robson, B. A.; Charles M. Tait, superannuated. Victoria (Belmont Avenue)—B. Hedley Balderston, B. A.

Victoria (Fairfield)—David W. Gannon, B. A.; E. B. Glass, B. A., superannuated.

Victoria (Willows)—To be supplied, under superintendent of Metropolitan.

Victoria (Burnside)—To be supplied, (C. G. Brown) under superintendent of Centennial.

Victoria (Oaklands)—To be supplied, (Chinese Mission)—Lay evangelist, (Strawberry Vale)—Robert Wilkinson (Colquhoun, P. O.).

Sidney—James Hicks. Salt Spring Island—Thomas G. Griffiths; George W. Dean, superannuated. Shawnigan—To be supplied (Joseph Herdman).

Nitinat (Indian Mission)—To be supplied, Clayquot (Indian Mission)—One wanted.

John P. Hicks. John Gibson, W. C. Macwhinney, recommended to attend college. Nanaimo District.

Nanaimo (Wallace Street)—Samuel J. Thompson. Nanaimo (Haliburton Street)—John W. Hedley, M. A., B. D.

Nanaimo (Chinese Mission)—Lay evangelist (Fong Dickman). Nanaimo (Indian Mission)—To be supplied.

Duncan—Charles R. Sing, B. A. (Evan Baker). Cowichan (Indian Mission)—To be supplied (C. A. Dockstader).

Ladysmith—Forbes J. Rutherford, B. A.

Wallington—To be supplied, under superintendent of Wallace Street. Cedar—J. Henry Hobbs, under superintendent of Haliburton Street. Cumberland—Barabas C. Freeman. Egan—To be supplied.

Cumberland (Japanese Mission)—To be supplied. Port Alberni—Samuel Cook. B. B. Black recommended to coll. ge.

Richard E. S. Taylor, B. A., Missionary in China.

J. W. Miller, B. A., B. D., left without a station at his own request.

### RETURNING HOME FROM NORTH BORNEO

Two Directors of British Chartered Company Pass Through Victoria

**SIR WEST RIDGEWAY**  
IS PLEASED WITH TRIP

Anticipated Further Developments Will Be Carried Out in Island

Two distinguished British officers, one of whom has won great fame in the administrative field in late years, arrived from the Orient this morning on the Empress of Japan, and proceeded to England by way of the Canadian Pacific railway. They are the Rt. Hon. Sir Joseph Ridgeway, P. C., G. C. B., and General Sir Alfred Turner, the former of whom is chairman, and the latter a director of the board of the British North Borneo Company.

That office is the occasion for their visit here, as they have just completed a tour of inspection of the holdings of the company in the great island of the East Indies. During the brief time in which the steamer was in port Sir West Ridgeway told the Times representative that the country was looking exceptionally well, and that it was remarkably free from any trouble with the natives, who appeared to be well satisfied with the rule of the company. As a result of the director's visit the North Borneo Company would carry through great improvements and developments in their district, which was now one of the few areas administered by a chartered company with such extensive powers. The links with the outer world were being added to extensively, and from personal inspection they were able to make some suggestions for additions which would be of value to the board.

Sir West Ridgeway is well qualified to administer the "New Ceylon," as it has been picturesquely termed, having been governor and commander-in-chief of Ceylon from 1884 to 1902, following a similar appointment in the Isle of Man. He contested the City of London with Sir Felix Schuster in the Liberal free trade interest in 1906, and subsequently held the important position of chairman of committee of constitution inquiry for the Transvaal and Orange River colonies before self-government was granted to the annexed provinces. He was formerly in the army, and served through the Afghan war. He became subsequently under secretary to the foreign department of the government of India. He has also carried through several diplomatic missions.

General Sir Alfred Turner established himself with a great reputation as a raconteur among the passengers. He was deputy assistant adjutant-general in the Nile expedition of 1884, and held numerous official appointments in Ireland. For four years he was inspector-general of auxiliary forces, and is thus well-known to the territorial bodies in the Old Country.

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